

ITALY DECLARES WAR. AUSTRIANS BEGIN ATTACKS
AEROPLANES STRIKE AT GOVERNMENT ARSENAL AT VENICE

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WATERS AROUND LUSITANIA RED WITH BLOOD OF VICTIMS AFTER TORPEDO STRUCK HER, SAYS U. S. SURVIVOR

MANY CUT AS BOATS CRASH ON PROPELLER

New York, May 24.—A vivid description of the sinking of the Lusitania, torpedoed May 7 off the Irish coast, was given here by Dr. Carl E. Foss of Harlem, Mont., a survivor who reached New York aboard the steamer New York from Liverpool.

HERE'S ITALY'S FORMAL DECLARATION

Amsterdam, via London, May 24 (2:05 a. m.)—A dispatch from Vienna says the Italian ambassador to Austria, the Duke of Avarna, this afternoon presented to Baron von Burian, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, the following declaration of war:

AUSTRIANS USE FORCE TO GET ENLISTMENTS

Venice, (via London) May 24.—The Italian population of the Trentino, according to dispatches from Verona, is falling into the country from towns and villages. They are compelled to walk along railway tracks because all highways have been barricaded with planks, tree trunks and piles of stone.

W. VA. CHIEF KILLS A MADISON CITIZEN

Charleston, W. Va., May 24.—White, a member of the town council and drew his revolver, but when Sutphin approached he turned the weapon on him, shooting him in the leg. As he fell the officer fired, killing Lewis instantly.

WANT SWEDEN TO TAKE FINLAND FROM RUSSIA

London, May 24.—A message to the Exchange Telegraph company from Copenhagen says pamphlets are being distributed throughout Sweden to further a movement for the intervention of that country in the war against Russia.

ITALIANS IN OHIO READY

Cincinnati, May 24.—Italian citizens of Cincinnati and southern Ohio were waiting the call to colors today. Many of them went to the offices of Italian consul Charles Ginochio, but he had not yet received any official notice.

ITALY SEIZES \$20,000,000 IN SHIPS

Rome, May 23.—(via Paris May 24)—The value of Austrian and German ships now in Italian ports, which have become prizes of war, is estimated at more than 100 million francs, (\$20,000,000).

TURKISH GUNBOAT IS SUNK

Constantinople, (By wireless to Berlin to London), May 24.—An official statement issued tonight by the Turkish general staff said: "The twenty-five year old gunboat Palenk-Derin was sunk this afternoon by a hostile submarine."

RUSSIANS CAPTURE GARRISON

Tiflis, Trans-Caucasia, Sunday, May 23.—Detachments of Russian soldiers have occupied the town of Van, in Asiatic Turkey, thus bringing relief to the forces who are being besieged by the Turks.

W. VA. MAN CAUGHT Charleston, W. Va., May 24.—W. H. Griffith, alias S. F. Ross, charged by a posse of citizens and sheriffs through several counties of West Virginia, following the killing of Ord Thompson, chief of police of Gassaway, April 26, was quietly brought to jail here today.

RUSSIAN BOAT IS SUNK, 1,400 ON BOARD PERISH

Berlin, May 24.—By wireless to Sayville.—The Overseas News Agency today gave out the following: "According to a Bucharest dispatch, the Russian armored man-of-war Wynteleimon has been sunk, with 1,400 men in the Black Sea."

AUSTRO-GERMAN ARMY IS NOW ON DEFENSIVE

Petrograd (via London) May 24.—The Austro-German forces in Galicia now have assumed the defensive and their active operations consist chiefly of counterattacks, according to an official statement issued last night from the headquarters of the Russian general staff.

Switzerland Sends Heavy Troops South

Basel, Switzerland, May 24.—(Via dentists in Switzerland from organ-Paris)—The Swiss government is sending heavy reinforcements of troops to the southern part of Switzerland and particularly to the Canton of Ticino.

FRANZ JOSEF DENOUNCES ITALY; DECLARES HE'S SURE OF VICTORY

London, May 24.—A Reuter dispatch from Amsterdam says the Vienna Zeitung publishes the following autograph letter from Emperor Francis Joseph to Count Karl Stuerghel: "Dear Count Stuerghel—I request you to make public the attached manifesto to my troops."

WARSHIPS REPULSED ON ITALIAN COAST; COUNTRY IS AFLAME

London, May 24 (10:52 a. m.)—A dispatch from Paris to the Exchange Telegraph company says a telegram from Basel states that the Wolf Agency announces Germany has declared war against Italy and recalled Prince Von Buelow, her ambassador, at Rome.

London, May 24 (1:55 a. m.)—After being virtually in a state of war for several days with her former partners in the Triple Alliance, Italy, beginning today ratifies this condition by a declaration of hostilities directed at Austria-Hungary with all the usual formalities.

Furthermore, Germany is reported to have indicated her support of Austria-Hungary by a formal declaration of war against Italy. The general mobilization of the Italian army and navy is said to have been completed and a state of war has been declared throughout the northern provinces of Italy.

On the Austrian side of the line most optimistic issued for a fortnight past. It not only indicates a pause in the Austro-German advance along the river San but claims that the Russians have adopted counter offensive operations with some measure of success.

Although not confirmed from any official source, reports are published here that Germany, faced with Italy as a new foe in the south will have to shorten her western line and that consequently she is preparing to withdraw her men from the advance line in Flanders.

AUSTRIA BEGINS WAR; STRIKES AT ARSENAL

Rome, May 24 (Via Paris)—Official announcement was made here today that Austrian aeroplanes have attacked the government arsenal at Venice. The aeroplanes were driven off.

Paris, May 24.—An attack by Austrian warships on the eastern coast of Italy, along the Adriatic, is announced in an official communication from the Italian war office, transmitted to Paris by the correspondent of the Havas agency. It is said the Austrian warships were forced to withdraw after a short cannonade.

680,000 MEN GATHER TO DEFEAT ITALIANS

The Hague, May 24.—From information reaching The Hague it is understood the Germans and Austrians have concentrated approximately 680,000 men on the Italian frontier. They have occupied strategic positions to meet an attack or to attempt to strike the first heavy blow in an endeavor to shorten the new combatants at the beginning of the campaign.

The Germans constitute the larger part of this force, which is made up of 34 divisions, approximately 20,000 each. Only 10 of these divisions are Austrians.

There is much interest among diplomats here in regard to the attitude of the Roumanian and the other Balkan states. The general opinion is that Roumania will not be in the war for some time, but eventually she will take up arms with the allies, together with Bulgaria.

WILLIS IN AKRON Akron, Ohio, May 24.—Gov. Frank R. Willis will arrive in Akron from Columbus this afternoon to welcome the delegates to the general synod of the Lutheran church at the opening session Monday night. Every state in the union will be represented.



There's stories and stories, every imaginable form and style of a story on 'most any subject but there's only one kind of a fish story—a big one. Whether the fishin' trip was successful or not, the story is always there and invariably it's a big one. I ain't castin' no insinuations but I'll betcha that if all the big fish that 'got away' in these parts durin' the past few weeks had been stretched meat prices would make the beef trust set up a howl o' despair. Here's the weather: Ohio—Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday, warmer Tuesday. Kentucky—Fair tonight and Tuesday. West Virginia—Part cloudy tonight and Tuesday, warmer Tuesday in west portion.

BOMBS DROP ON PARIS

Paris, May 24.—Another German aeroplane of the Taube type flew over the northern suburb of Paris this morning and in its flight dropped several bombs.

# HOMER SMITH RIVER EXCURSIONS

## Tuesday and Wednesday

AFTERNOON AND EVENING, MAY 25TH AND 26TH. AUSPICES PORTSMOUTH LODGE NO. 154, B. P. O. ELKS. AFTERNOON TICKETS: ADULTS 25c. CHILDREN 15c. EVENING TICKETS 50 CENTS. YATES SAXAPHONE TRIO. WHARF AT 2:30 AND 8 P. M.

## SALOON "BUSTED," CLOSES ITS DOORS

Another local saloon has found the going too rough, the Mendel Liquor store on Front street having been closed Saturday by Constable Wolfe on a writ of attachment in execution of two judgments returned against the firm in Squire Finney's court recently. Albert S. Maier obtained judgment for \$271.25 on an account for goods sold and delivered, and Leah Mendel a judgment for \$240 for rent. In common pleas court this morning judgment by default for \$805.70 was awarded against the firm in favor of Jennie Rexinger, doing business as Bernheim, Rexinger & Co., of Cincinnati. The amount was claimed on an account overdue. The saloon fixtures and stock of the firm will be offered for sale by Constable Wolfe, on Wednesday, June 2nd, and the proceeds will be used to satisfy the judgments. Last week the saloon of Al Frederick, on Market street, was closed by the constable, and his saloon properly and stock will be offered for sale next Saturday afternoon.

## BAY RUM DRUNK

Fred Boll, Leslie Copas, Clarence Pressler and Louis Debo were fined \$10 each. The quartet was arrested on complaint of Park Mills that they were carousing in the old N. & W. freight yards on Tenth street and used language that shocked women residents of Scott street. Boll, who is only 18 years of age, stubbornly refused to tell where he got his liquor, claiming he merely filled up on Bay Rum, and therefore still languishes. Relatives reported that he was beyond their control.

## C. M. Weyand May Manage Campaign

The executive committee of the Scioto County Anti-Saloon League will hold a meeting tonight in the First Baptist church for the purpose of selecting a manager for the campaign the days are to wage in Portsmouth and Scioto county next fall. The tip is out that the job will fall to C. M. Weyand, receiver of the Broad Shoe company. It was stated semi-officially today that the position would be offered to Mr. Weyand and that he would probably accept it. The executive committee is composed of practically every minister in the city and a number of laymen.

## Constipation a Penalty of Age

Nothing so essential to health in advancing age as keeping the bowels open. It makes one feel younger and fresher and forestalls colds, piles, fevers, and other dependent ills. Cathartics and purgatives are violent and drastic in action and should be avoided. A mild, effective laxative, tonic, recommended by physicians and thousands who have used it, is the combination of simple herbs with peepsin sold by druggists everywhere under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. The price is fifty cents and one dollar a bottle. For a free trial bottle write to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 452 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

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## DANGER IN DELAY

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The great danger of kidney troubles is that they so often get a firm hold before the sufferer recognizes them. Health will be gradually undermined. Backache, headache, nervousness, lameness, soreness, lumbago, urinary troubles, dropsy, gravel and Bright's disease may follow as the kidneys get worse. Don't neglect your kidneys. Help the kidneys with Doan's Kidney Pills, which are so strongly recommended right here in Portsmouth.

S. A. Ingles, engineer, 715 Mill St., Portsmouth, says: "I think exposure to the extremes of heat and cold when I worked at the ice plant, brought on kidney trouble. When I bent over to pick up a cake of ice, a sharp pain caught me in the small of my back and I could hardly raise up. The kidney secretions were scanty, contained sediment and burned in passage. I read how some one else had been cured by Doan's Kidney Pills, so I got a box at Hager's drug store. I felt relief right away and one box certainly fixed me up in line shape."

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## Mothers' Club Has Meeting

The Mothers' and Teachers' club of the Eleventh Street school held its last regular meeting recently in the principal's room. It was decided to give a lawn party Friday evening, June 11, on the school lawn. A called meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. Nettie Dill on Tenth St., Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock to make final plans for the lawn party which promises to be both unique and entertaining. At the close of the business session Mrs. Dill, Mrs. Whitfield and Mrs. Stanfield will serve ice cream and cake.

## RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, Ohio, May 24, 1915  
(75th Meridian Time.)

Place	Time	Direction	Speed
Franklin	15	4.5 F	10.9
Greensboro	18	9.5 F	12.1
Pittsburgh	22	11.1 R	15.0
Wheeling	36	14.1 R	15.6
Zanesville	35	8.3 F	10.5
Parkersburg	36	12.5 R	14.3
Charleston	30	7.5 F	0.0
Pt. Pleasant	39	9.5 R	11.6
Callettsburg	50	12.0 R	16.4
Portsmouth	50	12.9 R	15.3
Cincinnati	50	11.6 R	10.9

**FORECAST**  
Partly cloudy over upper Ohio valley tonight and Tuesday. River will rise.

H. C. DONNALLEY,  
River Observer.

The Ohio river was at a 12.0 ft. stage here Monday morning and slowly rising. Tuesday's packet departures: Greendale down for Cincinnati at 3 a. m.; Klondike for Roma at 2 p. m.; Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p. m.; Courier for Pomeroy at 3 p. m. The rise in the Pittsburgh district, due to heavy rains, will be sufficient to allow loaded coal barges to leave for the Lower Ohio and Mississippi rivers. It will end the long period of inactivity on the river at Pittsburgh, unbroken since February 30th. Old river men say it was the longest period of inactivity there in 50 years. Big shipments of coal are expected.

**Trouble Over Bike**  
Archie Dabney, aged colored man, swore to an affidavit in police court Monday charging Bert Womack with unlawfully disposing of his bicycle. Womack claims Dabney sold the wheel to him for two dollars and that he later disposed of it to another man for eight dollars. Womack was ordered to appear for hearing Tuesday morning.

Ask my customers about my work, Broker, the Painter, 11f

## Brame Case Being Tried In Court

Over fifty witnesses were subpoenaed in common pleas court Monday to testify in the alimony suit of Ida Brame against John W. Brame, prominent farmer, living on the Chillicothe pike, which opened in common pleas court Monday morning before Judge W. P. Stephenson of Adams county. Mrs. Brame is suing for alimony on the ground of extreme cruelty, her petition alleging that this treatment of her is such as to make it impossible for her to live with him. In her testimony before the court this morning she hinted also at improper relations on the part of her husband with other women. Brame, through his attorneys, Funk and Deyer, filed an answer Tuesday.

## BUILT HIS OWN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cunningham have moved to their new home one mile below South Portsmouth. Cunningham built his new home, a five-room cottage, by himself and is very proud of the work. Their two-story, six-room house at 1321 Seventeenth street has been placed on sale. They have a Home phone, No. 2902-X, installed in their new home. Cunningham is a Terminal employee.

## FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH NEWS

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Topic, "Joseph in Strange Schools." Scripture, Gen. 41:14-41. Leader Jessa Beck.

O. D. Morgan was the leader at the Senior Christian Endeavor last night. The meeting was a most inspiring one, while the attendance was good.

The men of the Second Ward will meet at the home of Gilbert Douda, Fourth street, Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Refreshments. Let every member be present.

Section No. 5 of the Woman's Union will meet at the home of Mrs. W. H. Tipton, 1618 Twelfth street, Thursday afternoon, for a short business session before attending the monthly union meeting at the home of Mrs. Fred Valliard.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Women's Union will be held at the home of Mrs. Fred Valliard, Seventh street, Thursday afternoon. All women of the church are invited to attend this meeting. The ladies of Section three will entertain the meeting.

Class No. 2, Loyal Beroans, will hold their ice cream and cake social at the home of Miss Wellam, Eighth and John streets Thursday evening. Judging from the number of tickets that have been sold this affair will be liberally patronized.

The men's union meeting will be held at the church on Monday evening, May 31.

If the weather is favorable the Christian Endeavor Society will picnic at Peebles Grove Thursday evening, immediately after working hours.

Section Four will meet at the home of Mrs. S. P. Munley, 1605 Seventh street Thursday afternoon at 1:30. All members please be present.

The C. E. business meeting will be held on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Florence McFarland 205 Offner street.

Class No. 3 will meet with Mrs. Drennon, 1401 Third street Friday evening. A full attendance is desired.

The Camp Fire girls will meet at the home of Miss Grace Bayles, corner Fifth and Court streets, Monday evening at seven thirty o'clock.

The First Christian Church band will hold their regular rehearsal Tuesday night at 7 o'clock. Any member who absents himself will be liable to a fine.

Section No. 2 will meet at the church Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

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## New Trial Is Refused

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## Expect New Model Overlands

F. E. Bower, local agent for the Overland machines, is expecting a shipment of 1916 models within the next few days. The cars have already been shipped and should be here soon.

## Secured Advice

Rufus Warren and Albert Richards, president and clerk, respectively of the Madison township board of education, were callers at the office of E. O. McCowen, county superintendent, Friday, to secure advice concerning the raising of funds.

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Misses' Dresses, splendid assortment of Ginghams, Percales, Lawns, Crepes, etc. \$1.00 and \$1.25 values. Ages 13 to 19 years. Choice	<b>50c</b>	36-inch Silk and Wool Crepes, all shades, 75c value	<b>50c</b>
Women's Dresses, neat styles in Percales and Ginghams, \$1.00 values	<b>50c</b>	36-inch Silk Messaline in fancy stripes and figured, \$1.00 values	<b>75c</b>
Women's House Dresses, made of Amoskeag, Chambray, Ginghams in stripes, checks and plain shades, all light Percales, sizes 34 to 46. \$1.00 values	<b>69c</b>	Best grades of Dress Ginghams, vast assortment, per yard	<b>10c</b>
Women's Blue House and Street Dresses, endless variety. Sizes 34 to 46. For only	<b>98c</b>	36-inch Percales, best standard grade light and dark, per yard	<b>10c</b>
Women's Percale Rungelow Aprons, made full in length and width, 50c values for	<b>35c</b>	40-inch Printed Voiles, 25c quality, yard	<b>15c</b>
		Fine Tissue Ginghams, 25c quality for	<b>12c</b>
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# SOCIETY

The Building Society of the First Baptist church will meet Tuesday afternoon in the church.

Mrs. George Holsinger and Mrs. H. G. Bugh will entertain the Kensington Circle of the Central Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon at Mrs. Bugh's home on Baird avenue.

Mrs. John Sowers, of Lincoln Hill, will give a social whirl Thursday afternoon for the benefit of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Baptist church.

The Matron and Maid Club will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Nannie Conroy, on Sixth street.

The Woman's Mission Circle of Kendall Avenue church will meet this evening at the church, where an excellent program will be presented.

Mrs. Demaris Willett, of Hillsboro, is the guest of Miss Ruth Stout, of the Y. W. C. A.

Mr. Joseph Carroll, of Hillsboro, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Lang, of this city, Sunday. Mr. Carroll formerly resided here. He attended the Knights of Columbus initiation in Ironton Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Gough, of the Y. W. C. A., has gone to Huntington to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. St. Straus, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. Copeland, Miss Tilda Goodman, Mr. Albert Goodman and son, William, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Powers, of Manchester.

Arthur Devoss, architect for the Ohio Industrial Commission, with headquarters in Columbus, visited his family here over Sunday.

Mrs. C. A. Highfield, of Carroll, Ky., and Mrs. Elizabeth Bradford, of Vanceburg, Ky., returned to their home Friday after a pleasant visit with the former's brother-in-law and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Highfield, 1713 Oakland avenue.

## TIRED NO MORE.

Mrs. S. Coates, an old lady of 70, recently began to "feel tired" all the time—just like many people get, long before they are that old. She took Truette Tablets because she knew they were over 80 years of age, which every modern doctor recommends as a nerve and strength builder. You, too, can increase your vitality in this natural, harmless way. Get a box at your druggist's. If you don't feel better immediately, you get your money back.

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Mrs. Albert Burkhardt is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Diederich, of Greenup, Ky.

Miss Mary Snyder, 333 Fourth street, is visiting relatives in Covington, Ky.

Miss Lois Turner, of Grant street, returned Friday from a visit with relatives in Columbus.

Fresh cream butter, milk at Schirrmann's confectionery, 1412 Gallia.

George Faehr and family, accompanied by Edward Bauer, motored to Powellville, Sunday, spending the day with relatives there.

Fifty years ago today Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Robb, of Greenup, Ky., were married on Front street, this city, in what is now the William Harber property. Mrs. Robb was Miss Georgiana Garland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Garland, of this city. Today they came down from Greenup to celebrate their wedding anniversary at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Robb, on Offene street, where they spent a happy day surrounded by their children and grandchildren, as follows: Dr. and Mrs. John Sowards and son, James, son-in-law, daughter and grand-son, of Greenup, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hurn, sons Garland and Donald, and daughter Georgiana, son-in-law, daughter, grand-son and grand-daughter, of Ironton, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Robb, at whose home the festivities were held; Mr. and Mrs. Robb were the recipients of many pieces of gold money. May they live to celebrate many more anniversaries. Mrs. Robb has been a Times reader for 60 years and has an account of her wedding written in this paper fifty years ago, which will be given at a later date. One daughter, Mrs. Herbert Reed, of Slat Rock, Va., was unable to be present at the celebration.

Misses Katherine and Roberta Barlow, of Columbus, will arrive Friday to spend the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hauck, on Offene street.

The L. A. to O. R. C. Kensington social will be held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Walter Dunn, on Hutchins street, instead of at the home of Mrs. Cullihan, who is ill.

All ladies are cordially invited to join the Fresh Air Camp social which will help raise the \$1111 for the cause of humanity by inviting ten or more of her friends to her home, thus earning her dollar dues per year to the Anti-T. B. League.

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Mr. and Mrs. David Stahler, of Fourth street, have as guests Mrs. Mary Jones and Miss Louise Stahler, of Waverly.

Harold Rhodes, of Ninth street, has been visiting among friends in Ashland, Ky.

Mrs. Charles Winter and Miss Mary Holt will entertain with a social whirl Wednesday afternoon at their home on Eighth street for the benefit of the Fresh Air Camp.

Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Goff, of Kono, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Knapp, of Huntington, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Neff.

Miss Sue Pursell will arrive home tomorrow morning from Lynchburg, Va., and will be accompanied by her sister, Mrs. John Donaphan Owen (Persis Pursell).

Mrs. W. C. Ferguson, who went up to Columbus to attend the Episcopal convention, remained for a visit at the home of Mrs. Samuel Baird.

The First Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Chris Young, corner of Third and Gay streets, where a good program will be presented.

Misses Ethel Cooper and Jean Dalton have returned from a visit with Thomas McGraw, in Rome.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rhodes, of Long Meadow, Sciotoville, have been spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rhodes, on Ninth street.

The Second Street Whist Club will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Levi D. York.

Master Fred Neff, nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Neff, is recovering from an illness with appendicitis.

Mrs. Elizabeth Fussuecker, of 687 Third street, left Friday for Ripley to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, Mr. Henry Herman.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin C. Clark came home yesterday from Columbus and were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nichols, of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hauck, Miss Edna Hauck, Mr. Carl Hauck and Mr. Fred Hoesch motored to Columbus yesterday in the new Hauck car.

C. F. Nagel, a merchant of Fort Thomas, spent Sunday at the home of his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Leichter, 1201 Franklin avenue.

An attractive program has been arranged for the Musical Tuesday evening at the Central Presbyterian church, corner of Chillicothe and Seventh streets, under the auspices of the Mizpah class. There will be no admission charged, but a silver offering will be taken. The program follows:

Organ solo, Spring Song—Alfred Hollins—Mrs. Philip Winklerham.

Vocal Solo, These Are They From the Holy City—Gaul—Mrs. H. C. Bugh. Accompanist, Miss Edna Marling.

Aeolian Quartet, "On the Sea"—Buck.

Reading—Selected—Miss Katherine Dawson.

Vocal solo, At the Smithy—Gould—J. Adam Burkel. Accompanist, Mrs. Matthews.

Aeolian Quartet, "Rockin' in da Win"—W. H. Neidinger.

Vocal Solo—(a) "The Atonement"—Teresad Rieze; (b) "A Hushin' Yaw"—Paul Bliss—Mrs. Adele Matthews; accompanist, Miss Joan Bertram.

Reading—Selected—Miss Katherine Dawson.

Organ Solo, "Allegro Maestoso," from 3rd Sonata—Alexander Guilmant—Miss Edna Marling.

Quartet Members—Fred Lorey, W. J. Gilliland, Watson Goddard, J. Adam Burkel.

The Story-Hour Class, which is composed of twelve Sophomore pupils of the High school, held an interesting meeting in the library of the High school on Friday, May 21. The members are manifesting an increasing pleasure and interest in this class since its formation two months ago.

At the meeting on last Friday the works of O. Henry were discussed. Although this was the second meeting at which his stories were told, the class plainly indicated that they had not had a surfeit of these charming pictures of life of a peculiar type. Cecil Lockhart gave "The Gift of the Magi"; Genevieve Julian related "Two Thanksgiving Day Gentlemen"; and David Jones told "The World and the deer."

It was decided that a miscellaneous program would be given at the meeting on June 5, when the following pupils will give the stories: Marion Bauer, Gladys Hughes and Winnie Krauser.

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The good housewives of Portsmouth will no doubt be interested in the free demonstration of the Chambers fireless cooking gas range which will extend over three days, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, of next week at the Alex M. Glockner hardware store, Gallia and Gay streets. This is the gas range that, it is claimed, will save three-fifths of your gas bill as well as three-fifths of your time.

Mr. H. E. Froelich, the factory representative, will be present at the demonstration and will fully explain all the points of the wonderful range. This range is guaranteed to cook your breakfast while you sleep and your Sunday

dinner while you are at church. It is claimed for it that it does one dollar's worth of cooking and consumes but forty cents worth of gas. Regardless of whether you want to buy a stove or not, you are most cordially invited to attend the demonstration.

Mrs. Glockner has been using one of these ranges for more than two years and she unhesitatingly gives it her warmest recommendation.

The slogan for the range is "In the oven at night, ready for breakfast in the morning." Remember the days of the demonstration, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday. Sample the pies, cakes, meats, bread and biscuits prepared in the range.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Newman, of Burdett, were guests today at the home of Mrs. John Wilson and family, on Washington street.

The Viola Choir will meet for practice this evening at the home of Miss Alice Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shankwiler are the proud parents of a daughter born Saturday at midnight at their home, 1077 Robinson avenue.

Mrs. Ralph Loft gave a Kensington for the benefit of the A. T. Fresh Air Camp recently at her home on Highland avenue. The afternoon was spent in sewing, followed by refreshments. The guest list included Mesdames John Sullivan, Arthur Stewart, William Hansen, George Pressler, N. W. Dawson, Charles Shoemaker, Walter Clausen, Edgar Cook, Miss Emma Fritts, Miss Mary Williams.

Safety First. The Carlyle Brick company at the request of the city will put up notices and notify teamsters to keep the safety gate closed at the underground passage way of the N. & W.

Returns To City. William Ham, a well known former Portsmouth citizen, who located in Vanceburg, Ky., a year ago, has returned to this city. He will re-engage in the real estate business.

Vitalite used on all Emanuel work by Brehmer, the Painter. 114

Move To Zanesville. Joe Merry and wife have gone to Zanesville, O., to locate. Merry was employed at the Vulcan last factory. They were residents of the Peerless City for three years.

REMOVAL. The law offices of J. P. Purdum have been moved to rooms 301-304 Masonic Temple. Home phone No. 6, Bell phone 247.

Store Building. Henry Adams, who recently returned from Florida with his family, has commenced the erection of a store building at Navas and will later re-engage in the grocery business.

Prompt attention to repair work. Walters Plumbing Co., adv.

Herb Watson has been under the weather the past several days with an attack of la grippe.

Chased A Prowler. Ex-Policeman Ernest Dean put to rout a prowler he discovered on Bond street between Front and Second streets Sunday night about 9 o'clock. Police headquarters were later notified.

Sober and competent workmen with Brehmer, the Painter. 114

Viewed Plants. Mrs. Virgil Fowler, of the Camera Shop, returned home Friday night from Washington, New York and other points East, where she inspected photo finishing plants.

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## The Movies

Fritz Scheff At the Lyric Tomorrow



stone comedy, "Love In Armor." Wednesday Renfax musical minstrels will be at the exhibit. The price always remains five cents no matter what the size of the program.

At the Columbia, Feature Program For This Week

You will find a most excellent program at the Columbia every day of this week. Tonight "The Mystery of Edwin Drood," a Charles Dickens' story in five reels, will be the big feature, and it is a story filled with beautiful scenes and intensely interesting situations.

"Rated At \$10,000,000," a very interesting story in three reels, will be shown on Tuesday and Wednesday's program consists of a three reel picture entitled "The Prodigal" and a single reel of Keystone comedy, "Helen's Resurrection Day," one of the funniest comedies you ever saw.

Manager Tynes has a real treat in store for his patrons on Thursday, when four reels of authentic European war pictures will be shown accompanied by a lecturer who explains each scene throughout the entire four thousand feet of film.

These are the identical war pictures which were shown at the Grand opera house in Cincinnati a few weeks ago, and they bear the stamp of approval of the German consuls in this country as being authentic and true pictures of the great struggle in Europe.

Friday is Paramount Day and this week's Paramount offering is "The Unframed," a four part romantic drama featuring the young French actress, Mme. Rita Jolivet, supported by House Peters and a strong company from the Jesse L. Lasky studios. Miss Jolivet, the star in this production, was on the ill-fated Lusitania, when she was torpedoed and sunk week before last. She was returning to her native country and was picked up in a half-dead condition some hours after the sinking of the ship.

One of those celebrated Broadway Star features, "The Breath of Araby," is the big attraction for Saturday. This is a most interesting picture story featuring Helen Gardner and a select Vitagraph company.

You simply can't miss seeing a good show at the Columbia any day of this week, and don't forget the European war pictures on Thursday.

At Temple Theatre

"Shorty Turns Actor" (two reels) comedy drama wherein Shorty takes a correspondence course in acting and then joins the two crooks, Ketchum and Skinnem. This comedy is sure a "rib cracker."

The third reel is entitled "Persistence Wins." It's a story of how a determined young man wooed and won Virginia Kirtley, Joseph Harris, Webster Campbell and Fred Campbell play this drama. The fourth reel is entitled "The Little Mother," an extremely touching story with a happy ending, played by Florence Crawford and Violet Wilkes. Tonight's program comes well recommended.

The Sun.

The love of adventure—of new sensations—is so strong in the human breast that at times, it leads to perilous places regardless of any "safety first" consideration. In fact there are some vocations where it is impossible to make good if your actions were always guided, first of all, by anxiety

for your personal safety. For instance, any motion photographer on Lyman H. Howe's staff would be considered as poorly qualified for the job unless he is ready to take big chances. For the most interesting and spectacular films are only secured by personal exposure to danger. This is illustrated by scenes photographed within a few feet of the biggest guns of the latest dreadnaught firing "salvos." However, serene and majestic these mighty implements look when silent, they inspire a profound awe and fear when standing alongside of them at the moment when they hurl their ponderous shells for miles and miles. The peril is intensified when it is remembered that if a delicate little spring broke in the mechanism or if the rifle barrel refused to accommodate a shell, or if a trainman became rusted, or if a weak powder bag broke scattering a grain or two of powder, or if there is a "flare back," a "miss fire" or "hang fire," he nor anyone else would live to tell the tale in pictures or any other way. But it was only by venturing where others "fear to tread" that many of the scenes could be photographed which will be presented by Lyman H. Howe at the Sun Theatre on Tuesday and Wednesday. Special Matinee Wednesday 2:30, 25 and 35, children under 12, 15c.

At The Seeno

A comedy program that is a comedy program will be seen at the Seeno tonight. Three screaming comedies complete a bill of five reels which is headed by a two thousand foot feature entitled "The Mystery of the Sea Damsel." This is a Kalem detective drama featuring Cleo Ridgely and Ruth Roland. You surely can't afford to miss the three comedies, which are "The First Arrive," "The Big Night" and "Getting Rid of Nephew."

Big Feature at Arcana Theatre

Throngs of people will no doubt visit the Arcana Theatre tonight, for Manager Potts, as usual, has a big feature bill, one that will please the most exacting. First will be a two reel Victor, entitled "Playing With Fire," one of those thrilling plays that keeps a spectator on the tip-top of expectancy at all times. This feature is a guaranteed attraction and is of the highest possible class. Don't miss it—it teaches a lesson all should learn "and is pictured so vividly that the impressions will remain with you through life. Of course there will be a comic, a genuine laugh producer. It is entitled "Change in Lovers" and is bound to bring down the house. Guaranteed to put everybody in good humor. See it without fail, for no matter how grumpy you may be, you will leave the theatre in an uproariously good humor. And best of all the admission is but five cents, although the show is worth double the amount.

Get busy, men! Don't let the fact that you are temporarily out of a job make your whole future look black. Read TIMES WANT ADS.

In Need of Help

Mrs. Ella Davis, aged 59 years, of No. 105 Offene street, who is reported destitute, has applied for admission to the county infirmary. She is a life long resident of the county.



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## IMMIGRATION AND EMIGRATION.

According to official figures foreign countries have contributed a net balance of 14,269 souls to the population of this country within the past nine months, or since the beginning of the European conflict.

The war did not so effectually stop the inflow of population as these figures would indicate, but the number of immigrants was most materially decreased while that of the emigrants was enlarged by a much greater percentage. For the nine months the total number of immigrants, that is persons coming into the country, was 341,617, while the number of emigrants, those leaving the country, was 327,348. The abnormal gain for the latter was due to the tons of thousands who were summoned back to the old country to bear arms and, of course, the decrease of influx was directly owing to war, the men being compelled to stay at home and fight, making it at the same time imperative that the women should remain also.

There is a common belief that as soon as hostilities are ended there will be a veritable inundation of immigrants. In this favored land, provided we do not ourselves get involved in the war. We do not share this view. Two causes, it seems to us, will operate against such a condition. Fewer persons by the millions will have the means to emigrate and so frightful is the loss in the male population abroad that the old homes will offer more attraction and opportunities than have existed therein for hundreds of years.

## ONE TRENCH IS WON.

The soul of Editor Funk, of the Oak Hill Press, is filled with joy and possessed with peace for his campaign against the passenger coaches on the B. & O. S. W. branch has borne some fruit. True Funk did not get new coaches but he did get the old ones painted up and with this for the present he is content. Concerning the painted coaches, Editor Funk says in the last issue of his paper:

"The editors of The Press and the Portsmouth Times, have been waging a fight, the purpose of which is to secure decent coaches for the traveling public using the B. & O. branch. The Press will be satisfied with modern coaches, but The Times man is standing out for palace cars."

"The first trench has been carried at the point of the bayonet. A newly-painted coach is now seen on the mail train. We are told that another is to be added this week. We were hoping to see modern vestibule coaches replace the old derelict has-beens, but revamped coaches are better than almost nothing. Each ka hibble—we may arrive all."

We've grown to be a staidier people. Just about this time 17 years ago we were all riled up over the blowing up of the Maine and just had to whip somebody. Now we are as calm as a June day over this Lusitania affair. Scorn the thought that the size of the guilty party has anything to do with our temper.

Charles A. Vallette thinks one is never too old to learn. Aged sixty, he will be graduated next month from the Benton College of Law, St. Louis. He does not intend to practice, having already acquired a competency, just wanted to know you knew.

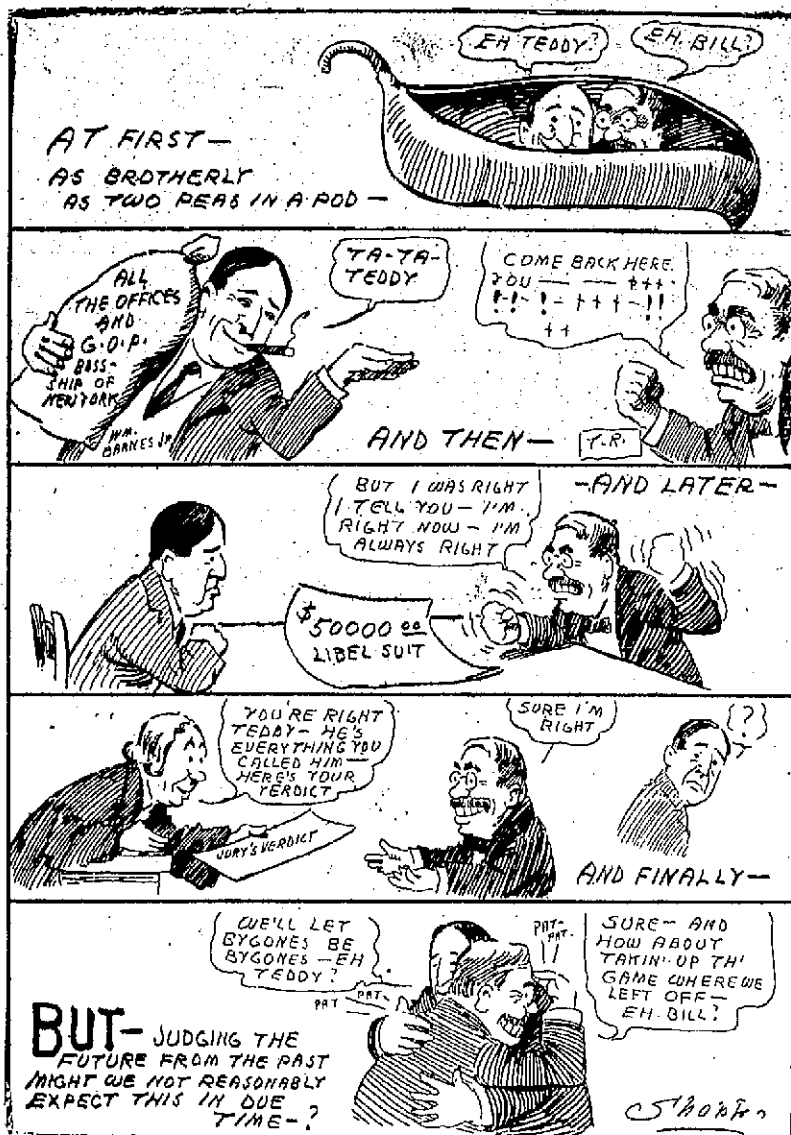
Italy's field fighting strength is around 750,000 men. If the Austrians can yank them in at about 6 and 3-4 per cent as fast as they claim to be doing the Russians, she ought to have the entire host cornered in 11 days, 9 hours and 9 minutes after trouble begins.

One thing can go down to the credit of those Italians—they are not given to buying a pig in a poke. Austria's promise of the big things she would give them "after the war" didn't tie up any of war in so far as the spaghetti men were concerned.

You've got to balance up. And it is sure a trifle hard on usually gentle and kindly May to make up in wind for March and in rain for April. It is imposing a double burden on her, but she's been going along under it at a fairly lively gait.

About the only redeeming feature in the legislature was that it got quite busy handling to one Don Hey about what was coming to him.

## JUST LIKE AS NOT.



## POSEY AND PHILOSOPHY.

James Ball Naylor is something of a poet, he's far more of a philosopher. He is never so happy, however, as when he combines the two in one sport. Just listen at this specimen:

My worthy friend, as sure as you're born,  
If you'll sell your hammer and buy a horn,  
If you'll take to tooting and stop your knocking,  
If you'll go to boosting and quit your blocking  
The wheels of business—well, you'll find  
The old Buckeye state won't lag behind!

Not such bad verse, absolutely unassailable advice. Sounds just like he was talking to some folks right in this neighborhood. They surely can put the shoe on and wear it, anyway.

Now what do you think about that! The small, but progressive village of McDermott is going to beat us to a new station. In fact, its station is actually under way while we haven't even a promise of ours—next year.

We have an idea that hereafter political bosses will think a second time before they rush into court to put a curb on the tongue of Colonel Roosevelt. If they should have such an inclination doubtless they could get some very fatherly advice from one, William Barnes, Jr., of Albany, New York.

There is nothing so bad, so it is said, but that it has a good quality in it somewhere, and might be worse. We are inclined to believe that since only seven Republican members of the assembly voted Willis as their choice for president.

It seems a man has no rights the new woman is bound to respect. An Illinois court has granted a wife a divorce because her husband let the furnace fire go out.

The acute observer of the Marion Star thinks the people of Canada, Australia, India and Africa have a mighty peculiar way of resenting oppression.

Poor old Elbert Hubbard, who went down with the Lusitania. The best thing he ever said was: What this country most needs is operational terminal facilities.

That flood wall is going to be extended, this year, may be; but we haven't so far even a may be next year for that new station the N. & W. is going to build the Peerless.

Any fool can find trouble, but it takes a real "peart" man to keep out of it.

One thing that is a bit puzzling is the extreme delight that some good people get in telling bad news.

## Socialist Speech

Rev. Fred Guy Strickland, of Dayton, O., will speak at the Upper Market Square opposite post office tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Mr. Strickland is one of the best speakers in the Socialist movement and is a great favorite with Portsmouth Socialists and hundreds of working people of the city. He will bring a message to-night that everybody ought to hear. He will also speak Tuesday evening at Fifth and Chillicothe streets.

In Vanceburg  
Jerry H. Archer, foreman of the B. & O. S. W. freight station, is spending a few days' visit in Vanceburg, Ky.

Anyway William Barnes should have recognized the fact that in the eyes of the American people the tongue of the Colonel is a privileged communication.

It can be set down without further debate that the loudest talker doesn't always prove to be the quickest and hardest fighter.

We reckon in view of a recent sad event at Syracuse, the days of one Mr. Barnes as boss of the New York Republicans are about run.

Rain or shine, this diligent laborer in the vineyard continues to be a newspaper.

The end is right around the bend. Switzerland is mobilizing her army.

The heaviest superstructure on the smallest foundation is suspicion.

Looks like Teddy's lucky star hasn't blinked out just yet.

The best and latest slang—the lung thinker.

Well, the peach crop is safe, no matter what else happens.

## Sketches of Little OLD NEW YORK by J. M. Payne.

New York, May 24.—James Gordon Bennett has been a voluntary expatriate for something like forty years. The United States to him, is the land surrounding the "Herald" building. He drops over here unannounced at times, sends a cannon ball through the building to move down executives and then departs, seemingly having much glee over firing his employees. "He is a first class Frenchman, but a poor sort of American. The Herald just now is becoming overly patriotic. It fairly gushes patriotism. When the Lusitania went down, all New York newspapers showed rare judgment and calmness by counselling patience. That is all except the Herald. It fairly breathed the spirit of war."

Shook in between news items and editorials all over the paper were bold faced utterances like this: "It is too bad Roosevelt is not president!" This Roosevelt policy was quite incongruous when it is remembered that only a few months ago Bennett refused to allow Roosevelt's name to appear in his paper. When he was mentioned he was called "The Third Timer."

George Michael Harris Cohan, sixteen months old, is a true son of his daddy. While being taken to George M. Cohan's home at Great Neck, the youngster waved at every American flag he saw and gurgled "Hooray!"

Richard Harding Davis has just presented a copy of the first edition of his first book to the Author's Club for a sale which it is giving for the Belgians. The name of the book was "The Adventure of My Freshman" and it has had a most peculiar and amusing history.

The book was published by Mr. Davis's family and when they learned that not a copy of the book was being sold they secretly bought up the entire edition. When young Davis learned that the first edition had gone so quickly he almost quit speaking to his friends.

He urged his family to finance a second edition and when they spurned him, it hurt him dreadfully. Several years later when he found the entire edition in the attic he understood. "The reason the book did not sell," said Mr. Davis, "is because some one must have read it."

Broadway diners are now having the thrill of howling to a head waiter who has just come back from the trenches wounded. The hero is Charles Faissole, a Frenchman, who has been the head waiter in the Knickerbocker grille since the hotel opened to the public.

He married a New York girl and returned to France on his honeymoon when the war broke out. He was immediately sent to the front where he remained seven months. During an engagement he was shot twice in the leg and after remaining in a Paris hospital three months was sent home.

His wife had preceded him and three days before his boat reached New York she gave birth to a fine son to celebrate the homecoming of the fighter. Faissole was given his old job back but expects to return to the trenches shortly.

Isadora Duncan, her press agents and her Duncan girls have sailed for Greece. Isadora is out.



May Not England, Call It Britain (James Carson, Clan Drummond, O. S. C. Orange, N. J.) Say not England—call it Britain, honor give where honor's due. Look to Scotland, Wales and Ireland, fighting in the trenches, too.

Look ye north beyond the Cheviots, where the thistles proudly grow. To the sons who are as rugged as their mountains capped with snow.

Land of ancient fame and glory where disgrace can lay no stain, See Auld Scotia's glorious manhood, preserving yet Britannia's name.

See them in the fields of Flanders, repeat great deeds done in the past, With the sons of Wales and Erin, side by side they're sticking fast.

Say not England—call it Britain, look across at Erin's Isle. See the stalwart sons now rally to the British ranks and file.

From the lakes of clear Killarney to the north in Donegal, East and west has Ireland's bravest answered to Britannia's call.

Say not England—call it Britain, on your border in the west, Gallant Wales sends forth in battle fighting manhood of the best.

Men of Harlech and Llewellyn, fearless sons of past renown. Strong, united, they are fighting 'neath the flag that won't come down.

Give us now our rightful calling, let the name in gold be read, To the children of the fathers, who in Britain's ranks have bled;

Let the Universe proclaim it, Britain, now and evermore. Say not England—call it Britain, England just means one of four.

Thoughtless Young Catch—I don't know how to take that girl. Old Batch—Hain't you thought of your arms?—Browning's Magazine.

A Sign of May A little rent in a cloud that shows a shining promise of sweet intent, Is a very good sign, as far as it goes;

But oh, I wonder if any one knows Of a sign of a flat, with a little rent?

The Way of Saying It Rev. E. J. Hardy, author of "How to Be Happy Though Married," once told this amusing anecdote:

A young couple had been married by a Quaker, who, after the ceremony, remarked to the husband, "Friend, thou art at the end of thy troubles."

A few weeks after the man came to the good minister, boiling over with rage, having found his wife to be a regular vixen, and

\$50,000 as the result of her experimenting in uplift work. She wished to raise the dense Americans up to the point where they would appreciate her work and as a result had to borrow \$5000 to get out of the country.

In contrast to Miss Duncan's misfortune comes the news that Lydia Lopokova has purchased a great estate on Long Island. Louis H. Chalif has bought one of the finest apartment houses in the fifties. Chalif has a special pet of the Czar and came to this country to teach society to dance.

Henry Sydnor Harrison, the Charleston, W. Va., author, is running an auto ambulance in France, so his New York friends hear.

said: "I thought you told me that I was at the end of my troubles!" "So I did, friend, but I did not say which end," replied the Quaker.—The Pathfinder.

The Wide Skirt "Who's been tampering with my umbrella cover?" peevishly inquired Mr. Smith. "Umbrella cover nothing!" retorted Mrs. Smith. "That's my new skirt!"

His Speed Baseball Manager—Consider yourself unconditionally released. Maybe you can sign up with a circus.

The Bonehead (warily)—What d'ye mean—I'm a freak? Baseball Manager—Of course not. But the circus I have in mind has an elephant ball team.

The First The baby came upon the first. His dad, as jokers will, Got out of this joke, about his worst: He named the baby Bill.

Of Far More Importance Pat and a friend were reading an account of a shipwreck, in which they were greatly interested.

"Pat," said his friend, "in case of a shipwreck, presence of mind is worth everything else."

"Presence of mind, ye say," replied Pat earnestly. "Faith and I don't agree with ye. In time of shipwreck, absence of body is of far more importance than presence of mind."—National Monthly.

What a Lone Towel Can Do She folded a towel and hung it over the back of the washstand. The room already had a new atmosphere. — McClure's Magazine.

College Education Jessie Chatterton went away from home to attend a select seminary and in a short time became infected with the craze among the girls to diversify their names.

She, therefore wrote a letter to her brother at home, signing herself "Jessie." Bill detected the signs of the times and replied as follows:

Dear Sister Jessie: Your letter received. Aunt Anna and Uncle Johnnie started for Boston this morning. Mother and Father are both well.

Your affectionate brother, BILLICA.

Endless Endeavor A horse is like a candidate; He runs, amid the cheering great, And every time a race is over He has to train to run some more.

A Case of Middle West Cannibalism The affair will consist of ice cream, croquettes and Mrs. Moeller.—Marion (Ind.) Times.

After The Big Ones Grocer—Small fruit has been ruined by frosts. Mrs. Newlywed—How lovely! Now we'll get only the large berries.

Easily Satisfied "Could you be satisfied with love in a cottage, dearest?" sighed the poor young man.

"Certainly I could," responded the girl, who really loved him; "but there must be a breakfast room, a music room, a parquetry flooring and a big marble fireplace in the front hall."—Dallas News.

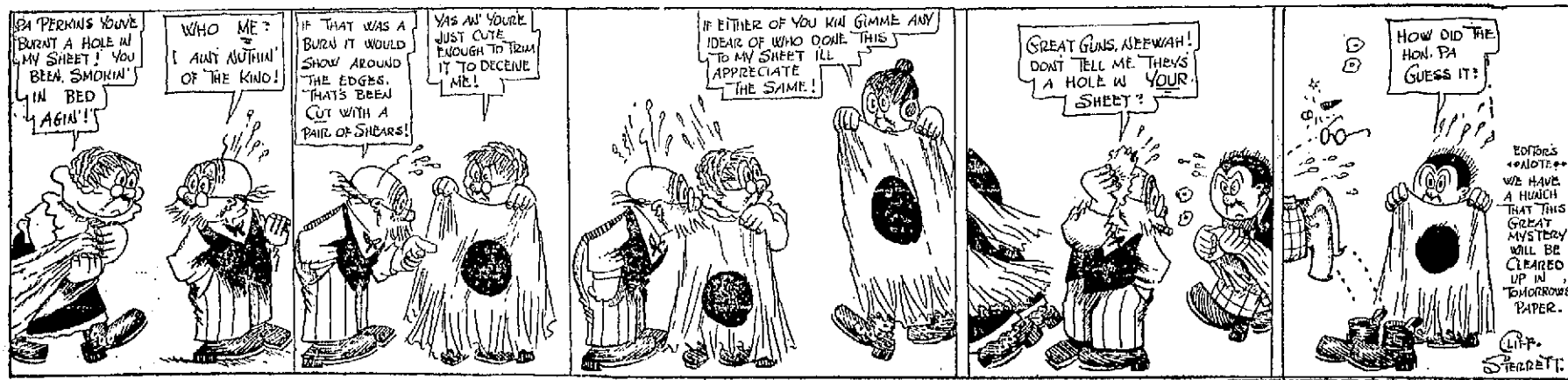
Change At Steel Plant

Open hearth furnace No. 2 in the plant of the Whitaker-Glessner company is being torn down and a new furnace will go up in its place. It will be strictly modern in every way and will be ready for operation in a few weeks.

B. & O. S. W. Officials Here G. W. Plumley, division operator of the B. & O. S. W., and C. H. Howe, master carpenter, were here from Chillicothe on company business Friday.

Arrive From West Corney Wells, who travels for the Irving Drew Shoe Company, arrived home Saturday from a three months' trip through the Middle West.

## POLLY AND HER PALS



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## DIAMONDS

## Graduation Watches

Graduation is an event in every boy's or girl's life that will be remembered always. A gift from father and mother should be of such value as to mark this day forever. Something that the son or daughter may refer to all their lives as father's and mother's graduation present. A watch is the gift ideal for the purpose. A handsome inscription engraved on the inside lid marks forever the occasion of the gift.

We are showing a complete line of watches purchased for graduation gifts. They represent the highest quality of workmanship, both as to case and movement, and are "everlasting" kind. We hope that we may have the privilege of showing this selection to every father and mother of the graduates.

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Regular meeting Calvary Commandery No. 13, this (Monday) evening at 7 o'clock.  
Solomon Council No. 79 will meet Tuesday evening, May 25, at 7 o'clock. Several candidates. Light refreshments.

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WANTED:—Carpenter wants work by day or contract. Satisfaction guaranteed. J. E. Marshall, 315 10th St. 171f

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WANTED:—Dining room girl and dish washer. Gray's restaurant, 1162 10th. 21-3

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WANTED:—Lady and gentleman experienced canvassers. Apply J. N. Phillips, 629 Front between hours of 9 and 11 a. m. 24-2

WANTED:—You to know you can get the best creamed butter-milk at Schirrmann's confectionery or from the wagon. 24-3

WANTED:—Girl for general housework. Phone 1332 Y or 2018 17th. 24-2

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WANTED:—Young man desires position as stenographer, typist or clerk. Two year experience. Highest references. Go anywhere. Address Stone, care Times. 22-2

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FOR RENT:—Furnished room in private family with bath. 721 3rd. 151f

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## BIRTHS

A son was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. William Schuekart, of 1117 Gallia street. Mr. Schuekart is employed as a clerk by J. J. Brushart, Gallia street grocer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Henry, of South Portsmouth, were made happy Friday by the arrival of a baby daughter, who has been named, Ella Marie. The "daddy" is an N. & W. brakeman.

A fine little son, who has already been named James Wirt Newman after his grandfather the late Hon. James W. Newman, was born Saturday evening at 10:40 to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Newman of 921 Second street. They are now the parents of a girl and a boy.

A daughter was born Saturday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wallace of Gay street. Mr. Wallace is a shoemaker.

A fine little boy arrived Saturday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Degler, of 1729 Seventh street. It is their first born and tipped the beam at nine and a half pounds. Mr. Degler is employed as a cutter by the Schwartz Clothing Co.

A nine pound daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Napier, of 1303 Union street, Monday morning. Napier was going on a proposed fishing trip, but put it off to welcome the little stranger. Mr. Napier is employed by the Portsmouth Storage and Auction Company.

**Bonzo Returns**  
Police Officer Joe Bonzo, who is off duty on a ten day vacation, returned Saturday from Madison township, where he has been visiting his aged parents.

**NOTICE:—**Saloonkeepers are warned against selling intoxicating liquors to Chris Ingen. He is blacklisted. Fred Ingen, 24-2

**FOR RENT:—**8 room house on 11th above Hutchins. Apply Jake Finn's bakery. 24-3

**FOR RENT:—**3 rooms upstairs, water and gas. 903 Offene. Inquire Grassman's bakery. 24-3

**FOR RENT:—**Suite of two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 1801 Grandview. 22-3

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## LOST

**LOST:—**Bundle of keys between post office and Harvard St. Return to Wm. Debo, post office. 22-2

**LOST:—**Between \$35 and \$45 in black pocketbook containing name M. C. Dingess, 216 E. 2nd Ave., Williamson, W. Va. Notify J. L. Dingess, Argentinum, Ky. Reward. 24-3

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## The Markets

## NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, May 24.—Italy's formal entrance into the European conflict was met by another rise in war shares at the opening of today's market. Crucible Steel, last week's sensational feature, opened with an exchange of 5,000 shares at 34@34 1/2, a new high price and a gain of 2 1/2 over last Saturday. Bethlehem Steel, Westinghouse, and other issues coming within the scope of war contracts rose 1 to 3 points. United States Steel was in good demand, advancing a point and metal shares material fractions or more. Investment railways joined the rise in more moderate degree, but reflected confident absorption.

More consideration of the situation seems to have been largely discounted in advance. Selling did not assume unusual proportions. On the other hand with bullish crop reports from Missouri some of something of an offset. After opening 1/4 to 1/2 lower the market rallied sharply but soon underwent another sag.

Fine weather eased the corn market. Break in the price of wheat counted also in bringing about a decline. Opening prices which varied from 1/4 and 1/2 cent lower, were followed by a moderate setback. Oats felt the influence of excellent field conditions. Offerings though were not heavy.

Provisions held steady despite lower quotations for hogs. There seemed to be no secure from holders.

In later transactions the May delivery became congested but the deferred months remained.

The close was nervous at the same as Saturday night to three-fourths lower.

Smallness of country offerings after afternoon to a rally. The close was firm 1/4 and 1/2 above Saturday night.

**CLOSING PRICES**  
**NEW YORK STOCKS**  
Amalgamated Copper, 66 3/4.  
American Beet Sugar, 45 1/2.  
American Can, 36 1/4.  
American Car & Foundry, 52 1/2.  
American Cotton Oil, 47 1/4.  
American Smelting & Refining, 67 1/2.  
American Sugar Refining, 108 1/2.  
American Telephone and Telegraph, 119.  
Anaconda Mining Co., 31 1/2.  
Aetna, 49 1/2.  
Baltimore & Ohio, 72 1/2.  
Bethlehem Steel, 34.  
Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 87 1/2.  
California Petroleum, 15 1/2.  
Canadian Pacific, 160 1/4.  
Central Leather, 36 1/2.  
Chesapeake & Ohio, 40 1/2.  
Chino Copper, 44 1/2.  
Chicago & North Western, 125 1/2.  
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul, 89 1/4.  
Denver & Rio Grande, 7.  
Erie, 26.  
General Electric, 152 1/2.  
Goodrich Co., 44 1/2.  
Great Northern, 116 1/4.  
Illinois Central, 105.  
Interborough-Met., 20 1/4.  
Inter. Harvester, 94.  
Lehigh Valley, 141.  
Louisville & Nashville, 116 1/2.  
Maxwell Motor Co., 1st. 1st. 83.  
Mexican Petroleum, 70 1/2.  
Missouri, Kansas & Texas, 13 1/2.  
Missouri Pacific, 12.  
National Lead, 62 1/2.  
New York Central, 86.  
N. Y. N. H. & Hartford, 63 1/4.  
Norfolk & Western, 102.  
Northern Pacific, 104 1/2.  
Pennsylvania, 106 1/2.  
Ray Consolidated, 23 1/4.

**OPENING PRICES**  
Wheat: May, \$1.54; July, \$1.26 1/2; Sept., \$1.21.  
Corn: July, 75 1/2; Sept., 76 1/2; Oct., May, 52; July, 50 1/2; Sept., 45 1/2; 74 1/2.

**CLOSING PRICES**  
Wheat: May, \$1.54 1/4; July, \$1.26 1/2; Sept., \$1.21 1/2.  
Corn: July, 76; Sept., 76 1/2; Oct., July, 50 1/2; Sept., 44 1/2; 74 1/2.

**PROVISIONS CLOSE**  
Chicago, May 24.—Pork: July, \$18.15; Sept., \$18.47.  
Lard: July, \$9.85; Sept., \$10.10.  
Hogs: July, \$10.60; Sept., \$10.85.

**TOLEDO GRAIN**  
Toledo, May 24.—Wheat cash and May, \$1.54; July, \$1.26.  
Corn: cash, 76 1/2; May, 76; July, 78.

Oats: cash, 54 1/2; May, 54 1/2; July, 52 1/2.  
Rye: No. 2, \$1.14.  
Cloverseed prime cash \$7.85; Oct., \$8.32 1/2.

Alaska: prime cash, \$7.90.  
Timothy: prime cash, \$2.72 1/2; Sept., \$2.97 1/2.

**LIVE STOCK MARKETS**  
**CHICAGO**  
Chicago, May 24.—Hogs—Receipts 21,000, slow; bulk \$7.40@7.60; light \$7.35@7.55; mixed \$7.30@7.65; heavy \$7.50@7.75; rough \$7.05@7.20; pigs \$5.75@7.25.

Cattle—Receipts 2,000, weak; native beef steers \$6.90@9.20; western steers \$6.35@8.00; cows and heifers \$3.25@8.65; calves \$8.50@9.35.

Sheep—Receipts 8,000, strong. Lambs \$7.75@10.20.

**PITTSBURG**  
Pittsburgh, May 24.—Cattle—Receipts 1,000, steady; top \$9.10.

Hogs—Receipts 7,500, lower; Leavies, mixed, mediums and heavy workmen \$7.50@7.75; light Yorkers \$7.60@7.75; pigs \$7.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 6,000, lower; top sheep \$7.60; top lambs \$10.25.

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## Local Italians Will Remain Right Here, Says Joseph Sodaro

"I do not believe that a single Italian who resides in this city will return to his native land to fight against Austria," said Joseph Sodaro, proprietor of a Gallia street fruit stand to the Times Monday afternoon. "Practically all the men adult Italians in this city have families; they love their adopted country and can see no reason why they should return to a land which they had left in order to benefit their conditions," continued Mr. Sodaro, who is looked upon as one of the most intelligent exponents of his race in this city.

However, Mr. Sodaro believes

that large hosts of Italians, who live in the eastern states will return to fight under Italy's colors. "The Italian is just as patriotic as the representative of any country when it comes to loving his native land, and many will go back and fight to the end."

"However," said Mr. Sodaro, "Portsmouth is good enough for me and I expect to stay right here. I am a neutral in the great war, and expect to so remain. And last I am an adopted American citizen, one who loves the stars and stripes that mean life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness."

## BIGELOW BRASS BAND TO GIVE FINE CONCERT

That a splendid audience will attend the concert to be given by the Bigelow brass band at the church Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, is an assured fact. Tickets have been selling rapidly and all those who are fortunate enough to be present will be well rewarded for the program is one of excellent worth and promises to be rendered with smoothness and dispatch. The band has practiced faithfully and well and the musicians so well drilled that the audience is assured of a rare treat. The program will begin promptly on time and those desiring to secure the best seats should be early on the ground. The following program will be rendered:

(First Part)

(a) March—Colonel Minci's... Geo. Rosenbraun

(b) Serenade—'Twilight Echoes' B. C. Miller

Overture—Operatic Mingle... E. W. Berry

Piano—Melodies of Spring... Harold Walker

Transcription—Festive On the Old Camp Ground... W. S. Ripley

Waltz—Sylvan Echoes... B. G. McFall

(Second Part)

(a) Solo... My Brown Rose

(b) Rivers of Love... Mr. Riggles

Piano—Mooning Song... Mr. Walker

Medley—The Sunny South... Bowdewalt-Lanyse

Serenade—Loves Response... J. C. Miller

Overture—Manoo... Jos. Weissenborn

March—The Show Boy... Will Huff

## G. A. R. Plans For Memorial Day

Final arrangements for the observance of Memorial Day next Monday, May 31, will be completed at a meeting of the committee from Bailey Post, G. A. R., appointed to have charge of it, at the office of Grand S. Millstead this evening.

City officials, members of the patriotic societies and fraternal organizations have been invited with the Post in observing the day, and the majority of them will likely accept.

The usual march to the cemetery from the G. A. R. hall on Gallia street will precede the ceremonies at the cemetery. Members of the G. A. R. and the Women's Relief Corps will be conveyed in automobiles. The Spanish-American War Veterans, the Sons of Veterans, the Boy Scouts, the J. O. U. A. M., and probably the Macombes and the Woodmen of the World will march on foot. Music for the march will be furnished by the Bigelow M. B. and First Christian church bands and the Sons of Veterans' drum corps. The city police department and city officials will head the procession. Capt. Grand S. Millstead, commander of Bailey Post, will act as grand marshal, and will have several aides.

At Greenlawn cemetery, the master of the day will be Hon. Henry T. Bannan, who will deliver the eulogy in memory of the 2,000,000 or more soldiers who fought to preserve the Union from 1861 to 1865. A musical program will be decided upon this evening. Flowers will be strewn upon the graves of the departed heroes at the close of the exercises.

Commencing June 1st, 1916, and continuing until further notice, the undersigned Banks will close on Tuesday nights at 8:00 instead of 9:00 o'clock, as in the past.

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## TERMINALS

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Cincinnati division held their regular meeting Sunday afternoon and transacted routine business.

Wilbur Boeok, N. & W. freight house truckman, here had his right knee injured Saturday while at work. Boeok was on a ladder painting when the ladder suddenly slipped, participating him to the floor with much force. He lives at 1018 Chillicothe street. The floor has just been scrubbed which caused the ladder to slip.

The meetings at the Tabernacle were largely attended Sunday. There were 87 present at Sabbath school services. John H. Henderson acted as superintendent of Sunday school during the absence of E. P. Kildent who attended the meeting at Trinity church. Rev. A. B. Johnson of the Sciotoville M. E. church conducted short services after Sunday school. In the evening C. W. Ridenour, farmer Y. M. C. A. worker talked on "The Life of David." While in the city Mr. Ridenour will help conduct services at the Tabernacle.

The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will meet in their hall on Gallia pike Wednesday in regular session.

E. P. Reinhardt traveling Y. M. C. A. secretary with headquarters in New York city stopped in the city and visited the local Y. M. C. A. Monday. He will go to Cincinnati Tuesday. Reinhardt's home is in Scranton, Pa. He was here several weeks ago working on the membership list and added many new members names while here.

A force of men are busy laying tile for a storm sewer on Gallia pike, west to Plum street. The southern terminus of the line is at Chestnut and Walnut street, where it connects with the sewer through the Rich and Snyder field. The same sewer runs north on Chestnut to Gallia and then west.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Engineers held their regular weekly session Monday noon and transacted routine business.

N. & W. freight extra 820-437 in charge of B. Thompson and Engineers E. G. Kinder and W. E. Perkins deviated the front drivers of engine 820 at mile post 494 near Williamson, W. Va., Saturday afternoon. The cause of the derailment is being investigated.

The tank of yard engine 993 was derailed and an end sill and grab iron damaged Saturday afternoon in the local yard when a car was sidetracked. Yard engine 686 was pulling a draft of cars from No. 19 track on the Hump and sidetracked 993. Engineers M. V. Young and J. P. England were in charge of the engines.

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## Class Will Meet.

The Philatha Class of the First Baptist church will hold their regular monthly meeting, Thursday evening at the home of their teacher, Mrs. James Dawson, at 837 West Seventh street. All members are urged to be present.

## Complaints About Two Vans

Complaints about vans at 1668 and 1674 Highland avenue have been referred to Arthur Hinton, city sanitary inspector for investigation.

## DR. H. F. CLARK IS ALMOST DROWNED

Dr. H. F. Clark, of Ravenna, had a narrow escape from drowning in the swollen waters of Rarden Creek, three miles north of Rarden, Saturday afternoon. He was responding to a call in the country, and while attempting to ford the creek with his horse and buggy, was washed down stream considerable distance.

It was only due to the fact that Dr. Clark is an expert swimmer that he rescued himself. With great difficulty, he reached the shore, almost exhausted. His horse also managed to get to shore three-quarters of a mile below the ford, after extricating itself from the buggy and harness. The buggy, harness and Dr. Clark's medicine case, containing a large quantity of medicine and surgical instruments were swept down stream and lost.

Heavy rains during the past week caused the creek to overflow its banks, and Dr. Clark had no knowledge of the depth of the water at the point where he attempted to cross.

## REMINGTON CONTEST

C. L. Frederick, local representative of the Remington Typewriter company, assisted by J. S. Xenner, instructor in the commercial department of the Portsmouth high school, conducted a speed and efficiency contest at the high school this morning, in which fifteen students competed. Over half of them earned awards, which are offered by the Remington company to those who make the required grade.

Those who secured awards were: Gold Medal Awards—Henry Mootz, 69.5 words per minute; Howard Menke, 59.7; William Dupre, 56. Proficiency certificates: Paul Crabtree, 51; John Simon, 49.9; Katherine Taylor, 49; Brownie Thomas, 44; Anna Tracy, 42.

## NEW BOSTON

The Socialist local held a rousing meeting Sunday afternoon in Davis hall when candidates were named for the coming election. Mayor Davis delivered a short talk before the close of the meeting. By an unanimous vote, Mayor J. S. Davis was named as candidate to represent the Socialist party again as mayor. Following are the other candidates: Marshall, Tom Noel; councilmen, Martin Hall, Rufus Hoppes, Jas. Semmes, Wade Hensley, Ernest Stratton, A. B. Griffin, clerk, Arthur Smith; treasurer, Pete Hall. Candidates for township trustee and school board will be announced later.

Charles Fraley was arrested again Saturday night for the second time in five days. Tuesday night he was arrested on a drunk and disorderly charge and fined \$4.80. Saturday night he was arrested on a more serious charge, that of impersonating an officer, and with being drunk and disorderly. He had secured a name at the J. A. Fenner barn and was in several of the village saloons ordering men home and asking them to buy drinks for him. Several are said to have complied with his request when he threatened them with arrest. Officer Ray Brown, had a "head-on" collision with Fraley and put him behind the bars. He was released Sunday when D. M. Hale agreed to stand good for his appearance Tuesday. Fraley is from Greenup, Kentucky.

Y. E. Ford was placed under arrest by Deputy Ike Wells Saturday morning on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. He was released Sunday on a \$5 bond.

Mrs. William Canter of Gallia pike, who has been ill for several weeks, remains about the same.

Mrs. Norman Preston, Miss Margaret Truesdale and Misses Bryan and Elizabeth Taylor formed a party who enjoyed the river excursion to Maysville Sunday.

Two foreigners arrested Friday evening on charges of drunkenness were fined the usual \$4.80 each when they pleaded guilty before Mayor Davis Saturday. On payment of the amounts they were turned loose.

John Daugherty was picked up by Deputy Ike Wells Saturday morning for trying to start a fight. He was released on a \$5 bond.

J. M. Smith who "took an overdose of firewater" Saturday morning, was taken in tow by Deputy Ike Wells and landed behind the bars. A \$5 bond secured his release Sunday.

Mike Searovitch, foreigner, who was arrested Friday night on a charge of drunkenness, carrying concealed weapons and resisting an officer, was arraigned before

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## Another Big Cut In Ladies' Coats and Suits

Ladies' Suits \$25 to \$30 values for \$15.00  
Ladies' Suits \$20 to \$22.50 values \$12.50  
Ladies' Suits \$15.00 values for \$9.00  
Ladies' Ramper Chuddah Suits \$35 to \$37.50 for \$20.00

All \$10.00 Coats for \$6.50  
All \$13.50 Coats for \$8.50  
All \$15.00 Coats for \$9.00  
All \$17.50 to \$20.00 Coats for \$10.75  
All Children's Coats at reduced prices.

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guilty before Mayor Davis Saturday. Mrs. Ed Moore, the woman in the case, appeared against the foreigner. She was let off with a lecture and instructions to leave town.

J. C. Harris, Democratic councilman, is circulating his petition, being a candidate for re-election. The Muldoons, a city baseball aggregation, failed to show up Sunday afternoon and the Cubs went gameless. Next Sunday the Cubs will go to Waits. Station where they will play the Waits Station nine. Oscar Koffer will take the team out in his auto truck.

Rev. E. F. Wall of Bluefield, W. Va., delivered a powerful sermon at the Christian church Sunday evening. Will Adams of the Sciotoville Christian church was present and assisted in conducting the services. Wednesday evening at prayer meeting Harry Edwards will conduct services.

Edwards just recently came to the village from West Virginia, where he was greatly interested in Bible school work. James Bush, superintendent of the Sciotoville Christian Sunday school, will have charge of next Sunday evening's meeting.

Kaps Bros., contractors, resumed work on the new York addition in Cement Hollow Monday. A number of men and teams are at work making the large fill which will require about 12,000 cubic yard of dirt.

Mrs. Edward Semmes is confined to her home on account of illness.

Mrs. William Hubbard is recovering from a slight illness. Marshal Will L. Davis has returned from a week's vacation spent on the banks of Tygart Creek. Davis in company with "Squire" Hitchcock of Frost, Ky., landed a number of carp and

catfish, none being over eight pounds.

Mrs. Daniel Bailey is confined to her home with illness.

At The Thalian It is the aim of the management of the Thalian theatre to give only high class and refined entertainment to the patrons. The bookings are from the best producers in the country.

Tonight's program is just a sample of the many good things in store at the Thalian. "Dianna of Eagle Mountain," a two reel 101 Bison, is the feature and they are always good. "His Wife's Husband" is a one reel Nestor comedy.

Tuesday's program: "Outside of the Gates," two reel flex drama, and "Schultz's Lady Friend," one reel Joliet comedy, and the baby contest.

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## TEMPLE THEATRE TUESDAY

"The Moment of Sacrifice" (2 reel) drama Thanhouser.  
"When Youth Won Out" (one reel) comedy.  
Mutual Weekly (one reel.)

## ARCANA THEATRE TONIGHT 5 CENTS

Victor—"Playing With Fire," 2 reels.  
Comie—"Change In Lovers."  
TONIGHT 5 CENTS

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# Millbrook Park Opening Monday, May 31st!

**BABY SHOW 1:30 ON CASINO BALCONY FOR BABIES BETWEEN SIX MONTHS AND 18 MONTHS OF AGE—THREE PRIZES**

## "ON THE LITTLE BIG HORN"

PRESENTED BY BEN HUR MARINE CLUB  
TWO PERFORMANCES, 2:30 AND 8 P. M. ADMISSION 10 AND 15 CENTS RESERVED SEATS 25c

**RUNNING CONTESTS FOR GIRLS AND BOYS; ALSO HURDLE RACE FOR YOUNG MEN. GOOD PRIZES**

LADIES' PLATOON DRILL 1 P. M. SKATING AND DANCING. BOY SCOUT DEMONSTRATION 4:30. AUSPICES OF TRIBE OF BEN HUR. EVERYBODY WELCOME.

## Police Allege Barber Shop Was Couple's Trysting Place

Crawford Shaw, a barber, and a woman giving the name of Mahel Abston were arrested, by Capt. Cooper and Officer Milhuff just after they had emerged from the barber's shop on Chillicothe street near Eleventh Sunday night.

Milhuff, who had been shadowing the place, claims to have seen the couple enter the shop through a rear door about 9 o'clock but before Capt. Cooper, who was in the East End, could reach the scene fully an hour had elapsed. The police have had the shop under surveillance for some time past.

Crawford put up his watch and \$5 as security for his appearance in court Wednesday and the woman was released on her own recognizance. She claimed to have a husband, who, she said, is in West Virginia and that she was the mother of two children. She formerly lived on Elm street but now resides near Third and Court streets.

Harry Heid appeared in court Monday with his head swathed in bandages but Lee Russell did not show up and the hearing of the men on a charge of fighting at the Stockham ice plant was continued until Tuesday morning.

Emma Payne and Cora Spalding, colored, were fined \$10 each on disorderly charges. It was the Payne woman's third appearance in as many days. "Florida Kid" who was with them was ordered held as he was on the verge of a nervous collapse. Carl Sagowitz also drew a \$10 fine for disorderly conduct and was ordered to buy a new coat for Officer Delbert Campbell he having torn out a sleeve in resisting arrest.

Two men giving the names of Charles Kelly and Wilbert Manning were fined \$5 each for intoxication while William Dieker, a plain drunk, was given a \$5 suspended fine. Cleve Sisler, who was wanted for alleged assaulting James Pruitt, has not yet been apprehended.

## NORMAL OPENS UNDER FAVORABLE AUSPICES

The Scioto county normal school opened this morning at Wheelersburg under most encouraging conditions, in the neighborhood of one hundred teachers enrolling the opening day. E. O. McCowen, the county superintendent, W. L. Biehn, Charles Pollerton, Paul M. Cramer and P. Ray Seales, the four district superintendents, Jas. Turner, superintendent of the Wheelersburg special district and Miss Fronia Isley, of the Alpha Model School of Miami University, reported as instructors.

Superintendent McCowen will be the supervisor of the school and the five district superintendents will teach advanced elemen-

tary branches, high school work, and some professional subjects. Miss Isley will have charge of the professional subjects and will also have charge of the observation work. Each morning she will teach pupils in the first, second, fourth fifth and seventh grades, while the pupils of the normal will look on and observe her advanced methods.

County school officials were highly pleased over the large attendance, and to them it presages more effective work in the rural schools of Scioto county in the future. The school is being conducted in the Wheelersburg school building, and will run six weeks.

## ODLE LOSES

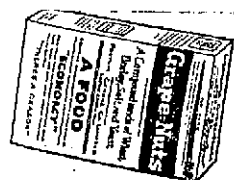
Judge Thomas denied the writ of habeas corpus on behalf of Edward Odle, held on a burglary charge, in common pleas court this morning, and Odle will have to remain in jail until his case is disposed of. The matter was argued before Judge Thomas last Saturday morning, and taken under advisement.

Odle's attorneys, Blair and Schapiro, contended that Odle was being illegally held by the sheriff, because the charge was a different one than that upon which he was extradited from Kentucky about a month ago. Prosecuting Attorney Micklethwait cited a U. S. supreme court decision to support the action of the state, which had considerable weight in the argument.

## THEO. TELLS OF "QUEER" EXPERIENCES

Theo. Pierron, local agent of the Moerlein Brewing company, has had some odd experiences the past forty-eight hours. On Saturday he put to rest some negroes who had been fighting in his barn and one of them called him an Irishman.

On Sunday while at Pond Creek the water tank of his touring car emptied. Being without a bucket he and Henry Loyer drained the contents of two bottles of beer, then carried water in their from a creek. Then it was discovered the tank was leaking. A workman was summoned from McDermott to repair it.



## Grape-Nuts

with cream or good milk, supplies the food elements in excellent proportion for building brain and muscle tissue.

"There's a Reason"



## Deal By Kilcoyne

G. W. Purtee has sold his two-story house at 2226 Seventh street to Jackson Cropper. The deal was put through by P. W. Kilcoyne.

## Benefit Collection

The collection taken up in the Catholic churches Sunday for the benefit of seminarians who are preparing for the priesthood. Six theologians will be ordained as priests for this diocese this week.

## Brooms In Demand

More skilled employees are needed at the James G. Bauer broom factory on Waller street, the demand for the product exceeding the output. The brooms have an excellent trade reputation, and the demand is increasing daily, according to Mr. Bauer. Henry Moler of Williamsburg, recently took employment at the factory. He expects to move his family here soon, and make this his permanent home.

## Woman Burned

Mrs. James Kennard, who resides on the Gallia pike was painfully burned in a gasoline explosion, which took place while she was cooking dinner Sunday. It is thought the explosion resulted from a leaky burner. Mrs. Kennard was burned about the hands and arms and the left side of her face was burned by a tongue of flame.

## Granted A Divorce

Mrs. May Kline, a resident of Fire Brick, Ky., was Saturday in Judge Hubert's court of Lewis county, Kentucky, granted a divorce from her husband, Robert Kline. She charged her husband with extreme cruelty. Mrs. Kline was represented by Attorney's Blair and Kimble.

## John Hannan Seriously Ill

Ironton, O., May 24.—John "Joker" Hannan, the aged father of Mayor A. J. Hannan, is critically ill at his home in Sedgwick, with locomotor ataxia. Mr. Hannan is the oldest surviving engineer of the D. T. & L., having been employed on that road when it was the "Old Iron Road." His many friends will be sorry to learn of his critical illness.

## Flush Your Blood Get it Cleansed

Remarkable Remedy That Works All Through Your Body.



When you put a tablespoonful of S. S. S. into your stomach it gets straight into your blood. In less than five minutes it has become a wave of restorative influence wherever the blood has circulated. Does this read like magic? But it is absolutely true. Those powerful digestive juices in the stomach can not change the medicinal effect of S. S. S. The liver can not burn it. The lungs, skin and kidneys excrete it only after S. S. S. has set in motion millions of cells and nerves to throw off the countless germs that have infected every part of the body. And as S. S. S. continues to battle these troublesome pests that gather in the form of pimples, boils, eczema, acne, catarrh, rheumatism and other so-called blood disorders, it routes into action a myriad of strange but well-understood corpuscles called leucocytes that actually devour or change or convert disease germs so they are readily and quickly cast out of the body. It is probably the best appreciating blood medicine known. You will find S. S. S. on sale in nearly every drug store in the U. S. Get a bottle today. And if your case is peculiar, write to the Medical Department, The Swift Specific Co., 163 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. It is conducted by a noted physician.

## Coal Development Is To Follow Deal

Lexington, Ky., May 24.—It is learned on authority here that the arrangement completed between the C. & O. railroad and the Norfolk & Western, near Columbus, O., the C. & O. has taken the first step in what promises to be the greatest railroad and coal development project undertaken in years for the benefit of Kentucky coal mining interests, and consequent profit to Cincinnati.

The trackage arrangement with the Norfolk & Western is for a line of sixty miles from Cincinnati to Waverly, O. At this point new construction will be commenced immediately, running southward to the Ohio river at Portsmouth, where an immense steel railroad bridge will be built, connecting the Ohio line with the C. & O. lines now penetrating the Kentucky coal fields in the Big Sandy Valley and in North-eastern Kentucky.

The new line will give the C. & O. line a directly north and south outlet from the newly developed coal properties at Jenkins and in that section through to the manufacturing and coal consuming centers of Eastern and Northern Ohio.

The C. & O., it is known, has a

fund at its disposal of \$4,500,000 with which to facilitate the coal carrying capacity of its lines, and its determination to go into the new field is understood to have been precipitated by the poor showing which has been made in the last year by the Hoeking Valley, one of the coal carrying subsidiaries of the C. & O.

It is expected that the new road's earnings, as soon as the new market is opened, will counterbalance the falling off in the freight receipts of the Hoeking Valley. This falling off is said to have been so serious that it was the direct cause of the action of the C. & O. directors voting to defer the regular dividend. A dividend of 1 per cent was paid last December.

The C. & O. now operates a line of railroad along the south bank of the Ohio river in Kentucky, from Ashland to Cincinnati, and the construction of the Portsmouth bridge and the building of the Portsmouth-Waverly link will give the system an invaluable river crossing, which the demand of Kentucky coal operators for a market has made imperative.

## START NEW MILL

One of the new jobbing mills in the plant of the Whitaker-Glessner Steel company was placed in operation Monday. It worked smoothly and will be operated three shifts, giving employment to 50 men. Another mill of the same pattern is practically completed and will be operated in the next few days.

The structural iron work on the new 300 foot addition being made to the galvanizing department of the Whitaker-Glessner company has been completed and it will soon be under roof. When ready for operation it will double the capacity of the galvanizing department.

## CROATIAN COUPLE WILL WED

The banns of marriage of a Croatian couple were published for the first time at St. Mary's church Sunday. They are Peter Stayer, an employee of the Harbison-Walker Brick company, and Miss Anna Trelog of Sciotoville.

## MAY CALL PASTOR

It was learned Monday that the Second Presbyterian church will hold a congregational meeting next week and some action may be taken relative to securing a new pastor to succeed the Rev. Charles Robertson. Rev. George P. Horst of Philadelphia recently delivered a trial sermon in this church and made a favorable impression.

## BABIES CHRISTENED

Quite an enjoyable time was spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones, on Fifteenth street, when four babies were christened by Rev. Lindemeyer. Those christened were: Jay Henry Neal, son of Anna and James Neal, of Mann's Run; Vida Marie Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones; Walter Neal, son of Mr. William and Maggie Neal, of the West Side; Hazel Bernice Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jones. Those present were Mrs. Henry Bobst and son Edward, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Noel and children, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jones and daughter, Mrs. James Neal and son, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones and children. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Thomas Jones and Mrs. Sam Jones.

## HOW SHE ENDED TEN YEARS OF SKIN-TORTURE

Oct. 23, 1914: "I had eczema on my face for ten years. Little red pimples formed in a small spot on my chin and then spread all over my face. They itched and burned me awfully. It was certainly embarrassing to me, and I would not go amongst people. I tried almost every remedy and treatment that could be used for this trouble, but nothing did me any good. I used Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap, and was relieved in a day or two. In one month I was cured. This was six months ago and the trouble has never returned." (Signed) Mrs. C. C. Roberts, Weatherford, Okla.

The Resinol treatment speedily heals eczema, rashes, ringworm, and other eruptions, and clears away disfiguring pimples and blackheads, even when other treatments prove worse than useless. Doctors have prescribed Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap for fifteen years, and all druggists sell them.

## Officials To See Game

President William Gableman and Vice President Wm. Zollmann will accompany the local team to Charleston. "Spencer Day" is to be observed there and the fans of that city will turn out to give Manager Spencer a rousing welcome. He formerly played with the Senators.

Miss Catherine Doley has returned from a three weeks' visit with relatives in Georgetown, O.

## "THE STYLE SHOP"

421 CHILLICOTHE ST.

## Mill and Factory Sale!

On account of bad weather conditions the Mill and Factory Sale will be continued a short time.

We, however, reserve the right to discontinue this sale at any time as with favorable weather our stocks should be rapidly depleted.

New selling features have been added to make buying doubly attractive.

### SILK AND CREPE

DE CHINE DRESSES  
Actual \$12.50 to \$15.00 values **\$6.95**

We couldn't begin to describe all the beautiful models that are here to choose from.

### SUMMER WASH DRESSES

We place upon sale tomorrow morning one hundred white and colored wash dresses in two groups

**\$1.98 and \$2.98**

Not a one of which were formerly priced under \$5.00. Many of them were \$7.50 values.

### WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SUITS

We've just 40 suits left, you may choose from them at **\$9.75**

Actual values up to \$25.00.

Any \$10 or \$12.50 suit now **\$6.00**

### WOMEN'S AND MISSES' COATS

\$10 Coats now **\$ 8.48**  
\$15 Coats now **\$ 9.48**  
\$20 Coats now **\$12.48**

### MUSLIN UNDERWEAR 48c

In this lot are night gowns, petticoats, combinations and princess slips, which were formerly priced \$1.25 and \$1.00.

### WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SKIRTS

50 fine new Skirts, very latest models, just arrived this morning, Poplin, Gabardines and Chaddis, colors black and navy blue. Real **\$7.50 and \$8.75 values \$5.98**

### MUSLIN UNDERWEAR 69c

This lot includes gowns, petticoats, combinations and princess slips, which are slightly soiled from handling. We have not considered former values in marking them at this price as most of them were priced at \$2 and \$1.

### Seventy-Five Mid-Summer Dresses

**Hats**

**\$1.75**

Formerly \$5 and \$6.00.  
75 handsome hats trimmed with flowers, fancy feathers and ribbon. The shapes, both large and small.



## Alumni Meeting Enjoyed By All

The first annual reunion of the Alumni Association of the Wheelersburg high school, held in the basement of the high school Saturday evening, was one of the biggest successes of the year. Everything was carried out as planned on the program. There were thirty-six present, including members of the Alumni, this year's graduates and guests. The graduates of this year gives the Alumni an enrollment of 108. The members of the Ladies' Aid society of the Wheelersburg M. E. church served the spread which was pronounced "the best ever" by all present.

Attorney Clinton M. Searl of this city officiated as toastmaster at the after-dinner speaking and delivered the address of welcome to the class of 1915. Mr. Searl's talk was "A No. 1" and was greatly enjoyed. Louis Smith of the 1915 class made the response to the welcoming address.

Mrs. Ray Lindsay Chute who was to make an address on "Memories," was unable to be present. Without a note of warning Toastmaster Searl called upon Mrs. C. H. Ketter of Ironton to fill the place of Mrs. Chute. Mrs. Ketter and Harry B. McCurdy, of this city, of the class of 1885, were the only two present of the first class. They are the oldest members of the Alumni Association. Mrs. Ketter gave a splendid talk and told about "old school days" in an interesting manner. "The Old Red School House" by Mrs. James M. Turner, was enjoyed by all. Superintendent James M. Turner's talk on "The School of the Future" could not have been improved upon, and "The Alumni Association" by Miss Jennie May-

hew of the class of '13 was fine. Wells Crawford of this city, is president of the Association, and following is a list of those present: Clinton M. Searl, 1900; Miss Mae Haskins, 1908; Mrs. B. F. Brightwell, 1911; Bert James, 1914; Earl Oakley, 1914; Jennie E. Mayhew, 1913; Mrs. C. H. Ketter, 1885; Mrs. Bess L. Turner, 1889; Aileen Sherman, 1913; Effie Reif, 1914; Anna Crausdon, 1912; Nell Barney, 1913; Edith Wilson, 1913; Bessie Aehl, 1912; Ethel Chitts, 1910; C. Wells Crawford, 1900; W. D. Bell, 1908; Mrs. H. E. McCurdy, 1887; Harry B. McCurdy, 1885; Class of 1915, Louis Smith, Anna E. Miller, Clara Crausdon, Marie James, Evelyn Hunsinger, Nell Griver, Averill Hunsinger, John Sauer, John Oakes, McKinley Sauer, and Raymond Gleim; guests, James M. Turner, C. F. Brightwell, Howard Preston, Mrs. C. Wells Crawford, Mrs. Clinton M. Searl and Mrs. James M. Turner.

Miss Clara Thompson of the 1914 class who lives in Franklin Furnace was unable to be present

on account of illness but sent her dues and asked that a plate be reserved for her as she wanted to be represented.

The menu consisted of the following: Fruit, Cold Roast Chicken, Sandwiches, Pickles, Radishes, Lettuce Salad, Nuts, Olives, Cottage Cheese Unsweetened Nuts, Neapolitan Tea Cream Cake, Coffee.

## Visited In Ironton

A. L. Hammel, proprietor of the New Idea clothing store, visited relatives at Ironton and Ashland Sunday. He found his grandchildren in the former town recovering from their recent illness but his little granddaughter at Ashland, Rosemary Edelson, was seriously ill.

### Must Submit Plans

The state board of health engineers have notified the city that before they can visit Portsmouth to investigate plans for a Hilltop sewerage system the plans must be first submitted.

## Bring Prescriptions Here

Let us fill the prescription the doctor gives you. We can wholly be relied upon to put them out correctly. We are certain of what we do when we fill prescriptions. We read the doctor's orders carefully and use only ingredients he tells us to. We are extremely careful not to make the slightest mistake. This is the most important.

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## Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, O. Office Phone 50, Residence A-694.

Dear Dolly—I am invited to a golden wedding anniversary and as you know it's customary to take the aged couple something in gold, but of course I can't afford a very expensive present. I was wondering if you could suggest something that would be suitable and at the same time wouldn't cost very much.

**ANXIOUS READER.**  
Why not take them a little gold fish. You could get one for about ten cents. That's the cheapest thing I can think of.

Dear Miss Dolly—When a girl goes out buggy riding in the country after night, how late should she stay?

**MARIE.**  
A girl should not go buggy riding in the country after night, unless there is a crowd or at least two couples along. Even then she ought to be home by nine or nine-thirty.

Dear Dolly—I am corresponding with a young man who writes awfully silly letters. I just almost bust when I read them. Do you think he cares for me when he writes such comical letters, and should I answer them?

**LILLY.**  
I don't know whether he cares for you or not, but since his letters are so ticklish you might keep on corresponding with him.

Dear Miss Wise—What are the duties of a bridesmaid at a wedding?  
**MAID-OF-HONOR.**  
They simply attend the bride, help her with her flowers and veil, do any little service that is necessary.

Dear Dolly—I am in love with a man who also thinks a great deal of another girl who is not what she ought to be. What can I do or say to turn him against the girl?  
**MATTIE JANE.**  
Don't say or do anything. It will not alter the man's opinion of the girl, you are knocking. On the contrary it will lower you in his estimation. By and by you will be dubbed as a cat whose claws are always working. He probably knows more about the girl than you could tell him. It doesn't take a man very long to find out what kind of a girl he is going with.

Dear Dolly—Every time I go

**Give Me Liberty or Give Me Death, Said the Cockroach.**  
Then he ran down the wall, made a sashay around the sink, hopped in the pantry and struck a bunch of roach powder, which the cook had telephoned for to Flood & Blake's that morning. Burial private.

## TIMES SERVICE PATTERN 1281



1281. A new and stylish waist. Ladies' Waist with two styles of collar, and with sleeve in either of two lengths. This design is lovely for the new satins and crepes, for madras, linen, silk, poplin, batiste, cross-stitch muslin and embroidered voile. As here shown white satin was employed, with piping of blue and blue fancy buttons for decoration. In handkerchief or butcher's linen, this style will make a trim and serviceable waist. The right front crosses over the left in side closing, and the neck edge may have the new smart high collar, or the neat broad rolled one, that will be lovely with the short sleeves for warm days. The pattern is cut in 6 sizes: 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches bust measure. It requires 3 1/4 yards of 36-inch material for a 38-inch size.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10c in silver or stamps.

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This pattern will be sent on receipt of 10 cents. Make number, name, address, etc., plain. Send to Pattern Department Portsmouth Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

No. 1281. Size..... Ago (for child).....  
Name.....  
Street and Number.....  
City..... State.....

to see my girl she keeps talking about other boys she has gone with and others who want to go with her now. I get awfully tired listening to such foolish and empty talk. I like to talk about big and sensible things myself. What shall I do to break her of this habit?  
**JOHNNY.**  
Tell her to forget it, and talk about base ball or the war.

Dear Dolly—I am about to be married and would like to ask a few questions. Should my husband kiss my mother and sisters after the ceremony, or just shake hands with them; and also should I kiss his sisters? This is probably a silly question, but then I would like to be posted on these things.  
**BRIDE-TO-BE.**  
If he is of an affectionate nature he will probably kiss your mother, since he should treat her almost as if she were his own mother, but if your sisters are grown up ladies they would probably prefer a hand-shake. If you meet his sisters after the wedding

it would be proper to kiss them all around, but before you can use your own judgment, either shake hands, cordially or kiss them, as you wish. Personally, I don't believe in promiscuous kissing, as it often spreads disease.

Dear Dolly—I am a girl thirteen years old and in the sixth grade at school. I have three little sisters and every time I want to go anywhere they always want to follow me. How can I get them to stay at home and play with the little girls who come to see them? What kind of dresses are the girls wearing mostly this spring? Am I too young to go with the boys?  
**BLUE EYES.**

It seems to me your mother ought to deal with your little sisters. If she doesn't want them to go with you she should keep them at home. It's warm enough now for summer dresses. Gingham, percale, linen, or any thin material would be suitable for a girl of your age. You are too young to go with the boys.

Mr. Ellis Diederich entertained a number of young people on Friday evening at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Albert Burkhardt, of 331 Front street. The evening was pleasantly spent with music and dancing, beautiful piano selections being rendered by Miss Grace Wells and Mr. Frank White. At the conclusion of the evening a fine lunch was served by Mrs. Owen Burkhardt, to the following guests: Misses Frances Wells, Helen Barlow, Grace Wells, Irma Messer, Ida Burkhardt, Messrs. Frank White, Ellis Diederich, Custer Davis, Herman Baker, Walter Pearson.

Miss Josephine Albert, of Ashland, Ky., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Greenberg, of Fourth street.

Miss Vician Wolley, of Ashland, Ky., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Thomas Nichols, of 1201 Fifteenth street.

The Married Ladies' Society of St. Mary's church will hold a social and get-together meeting at St. Mary's hall Thursday evening. This society will also hold its annual election of officers that night.

Socrates Plummer, of Columbus, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Plummer, of Fourth street.

Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson and sister, Mrs. Edith Bohst, who were the guests of relatives here for a week, returned to Harris Station Saturday.

Mrs. David Albert Berntson has issued invitations to Kensington on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoon at her handsome home on Gallia avenue.

Mrs. J. F. Edwards and two sweet little daughters, Mildred and Frances, of Pittsburgh, Pa., arrived Saturday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wells A. Hutchins, where Mrs. Edwards' mother, Mrs. Nora Franklin, is also a guest.

Mrs. Caroline King of Cincinnati returned home Monday after a visit with her daughter Mrs. J. M. Kinnison of Thirteenth street.

Mrs. Pearl Wells of Fullerton, Ky., was the Saturday guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Boyce of 922 Thirteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mackey, of Wheelersburg, have gone to Lynchburg, Va., to see their daughter, Mrs. Carrie Mackey, graduate from Randolph-Macon College. On their way home they will stop in Washington D. C., for a visit. During their absence Mrs. Mary Little, of Third street, will be the guest of Miss Mabel Mackey.

Mrs. Charles F. Hard will entertain tomorrow afternoon with a Kensington and next week Mrs. Hard and Mrs. Samuel Crawford will give a Kensington at Mrs. Hard's home, on Franklin avenue.

Mrs. Edward Graft and two children, Margaret and Virginia, of Cleveland, will arrive the first of the week to visit her sister, Mrs. George Vogel, of Gay street, and other relatives. They will stay over Decoration Day.

Miss Martha Spencer has gone to Columbus to visit among friends.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Kendall Avenue church will hold a social and lawn fete Thursday evening on the church lawn.

Mrs. H. C. Bugh, of Baird avenue, spent Sunday with friends in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ruggles and family moved Friday from Glorvort street to a new house on New Seventh street.

The Friday Evening Kensington Club met at the home of the Misses Keller, on Offshore street, where all members were present. Mrs. Frank Gibson, of Walnut Hills, guest of Mrs. Walter Applegate, was an out-of-town guest. The evening was spent in needlework and music, after which ice cream, cake and candy were served by the hostesses. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Maud Legler.

Miss Sidel Krickler, who has been spending the winter in Hendersonville, N. C., will leave there tomorrow for home. She will stop in Norfolk, Va., for a short visit with friends before coming home.

The Y. M. S. W. club met Saturday afternoon at the home of Genevieve Thoman. Needlework and games were followed by refreshments. Those present were Mildred Schraick, Mildred and Anna Goodman, Mary Schuler, Gertrude Kirby, Emma Snyder. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Mildred Schraick.

Mrs. A. F. Froward will entertain the Priscillas Thursday afternoon at her home on Ninth street.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Second Presbyterian church will hold social meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. W. G. Williams. All young people of the church and their friends are invited.

Mrs. Estelle Johnson, of Sixth street, will entertain several women this evening for the benefit of the Fresh Air Camp. The invited guests are Mesdames Emma McFadden, Frances McCollin, Charles Frederick, J. N. Herr, William Rungan, U. A. Swishelm, Vernon Barrett, Misses Lucy and Mary Berndt and the Misses Marsh.

Mrs. Inez Spry left today for her home in Charleston, S. C., after a four months' visit with Miss Thyra Spry and Mrs. Frances Helfenstein. On her way home she will stop in Springfield to visit her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Colburn and niece, Mrs. William G. Moler (Alice Colburn).

The Young Woman's Home Missionary Circle of Trinity church will meet in the church this evening to arrange for the serving of refreshments at the play to be given Thursday evening.

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More overwork, overstudy and excess of all kinds are exciting causes and should be avoided by those who know themselves to have inherited a nervous disposition. Thin blood and a general run-down condition of the system are also to be avoided by such people. Be moderate in everything, avoid worry, keep the blood rich and red and the general health built up with a non-alcoholic tonic like Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and avoid a nervous breakdown.

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The surest way to clear the skin of these eruptions, says a noted authority, is to get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of hot water each morning before breakfast for one week. This will prevent the formation of toxins in the bowels. It also stimulates the kidneys to normal activity thus coaxing them to filter the blood of impurities and clearing the skin of pimples.

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# MAN IS SHOT DOWN IN PRESENCE OF HIS WIFE; RECOVERY IS DOUBTFUL

William Browning, aged 32 years, a teamster, was shot by Robert Blevins, aged 22 years, a stevedore, at the Morrow Flats, No. 389 Front street, Saturday night, about 11 o'clock, and now lies at Hempstead hospital dangerously, and perhaps fatally wounded.

Blevins, who readily admitted to arrest when Officers Emmett and Harding went to the flat building, was locked up at the police station and a charge of shooting with intent to kill was placed against him by Chief W. T. McCarthy. Owing to the dangerous nature of his victim's wound, the police officials refused to fix any bond.

The shooting occurred just at the head of a stairway in the hall on the second floor of the building. Browning had come to the building, and knocking at Blevins' door, which is in the front part of the building, asked permission to see his wife, Mrs. Sylvia Baldwin-Browning. He took the opportunity for paying Blevins, who is custodian of the building, for two window-lights he smashed in his wife's apartments during a row he had with her at the time of the last street fair. Blevins walked down the hallway and called for the man's wife, shouting to her, "Browning, come down stairs, your husband wants to see you."

**Had Talk With Wife**

As Browning had previously told Blevins he had some money for his children, Mrs. Browning did as requested, seating herself on the third step from the second floor. Browning asked her to go buggy-riding with him. She declined, owing to the lateness of the hour. He then began upbraiding her for always "keeping him out," to which she replied that it was his own fault, as he was constantly raising ruckus with her, and the owners of the building were opposed to such disturbances. They were exchanging words and Browning had commenced cursing when Blevins emerged from his room at the other end of the hall with gun in hand. He told him he would call the police. Browning dared him to do so, exclaiming, "I'll tell them you've got a gun."

"Yes, and I'll use it, too," retorted Blevins, according to Mrs. Browning.

Browning had by this time started to descend the outer stairway, but returned to the head of the stairs, leaning heavily against the corner, and looking straight at Blevins, said, "You can't bluff me out like that."

**Blevins Fired The Pistol**

He had his left side turned as he spoke, according to Mrs. Browning, and Blevins fired the pistol, the bullet striking Browning under the left shoulder pit and penetrating the lung. The terrified wife, who was standing directly behind him now, ran several steps down the flight of stairs. Browning, with a cry of pain, staggered momentarily, then went down stairs. Soon a crowd was attracted by the shooting and confusion reigned in the flat building. Browning walked unassisted to Second and Court streets, but began suffering greatly from loss of blood and had to be helped to police headquarters, where Dr. Gault and Wendelken attended him. He was in great agony and it was decided to remove him to Hempstead hospital. The city service wagon got stalled at the Chillicothe pike crossing and the wounded man was transferred to Dr. Wendelken's car for the remainder of the distance. No effort was made to probe for the bullet as Browning suffered one hemorrhage after another.

**Victim Is Delirious**

He was reported improved Sunday, but was very restless Sunday night and Monday morning found him in a delirious state and his condition regarded worse.

The gun with which the shooting was done was recovered by Officer Frank Emmett, Blevins turning it over to him. It contained one empty and four loaded shells. It was a 32-calibre Iver Johnson "cow head" revolver of cheap make.

Blevins claims to have shot in self-defense. He said he had given Browning fair warning, but that he suddenly showed fight, pulling his coat down over his right shoulder and advancing toward him with an open knife in his left hand, and said there was nothing in the house big enough to make him go.

Blevins has retained Judge A. Z. Blair to defend him. That attorney goes busy working up the defense, and upon his advice Mrs. Blevins declined to discuss the shooting. She, it is known, however, was not an eye-witness to the shooting.

**Wife Begged Him Not To Shoot Again**

Mrs. Browning, who has been living apart from her husband, said

after the first shot was fired she begged Blevins not to shoot again. "I don't think I'll need to," is the reply she said he made, or words to that effect. She declined to give an opinion as to whether or not the shooting was justified, rather believing, however, that it could have been avoided had Blevins simply telephoned in his room. She said the telephone in his room was conveniently near.

**Never Saw Open Knife**

She said when her husband started down the stairway he had a knife in his left pants pocket, but she never saw it open in his hand. She felt he made a mistake in returning to the head of the stairway after he had once started down. He appeared to have had a drink or two, she said, but was not intoxicated.

Mrs. Browning and husband have had more or less trouble since they separated last February. He accused her of receiving the attentions of Dave Hannah, a teamster, and he and Hannah have had several serious clashes, he causing the latter's arrest a couple of times, once for cutting him some months ago, though it was never proven that Hannah was the knife-wielder. The cutting occurred in a dark hallway of the same flat building where Browning was shot Saturday night.

The Brownings were married ten years ago and have two children, Myrtle, aged 9 years, and James, aged 6 years. The probate court gave the mother custody of the children. Browning is an employee of Contractor Frank Seymour. His aged and widowed mother, Mrs. Margaret Wilson, lives on Tenth street. Mrs. Browning is a native of Pike county, Ohio.

Dr. Charles Wendelken, city physician, reported Browning's condition as improved Monday afternoon. The wound had ceased bleeding and he regarded the man's chances for recovery as good, though of course there still remained the danger of complications. Blevins will probably be given a preliminary hearing in police court Tuesday morning.

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Chances for recovery are good, though of course there still remained the danger of complications. Blevins will probably be given a preliminary hearing in police court Tuesday morning.

## Gears Are Stripped

The automobile of Dr. H. P. Rapp, popular West Side physician, is temporarily out of commission, due to a slight accident which occurred Saturday evening. In some manner he stripped the gears as he was driving the car into his garage. He telephoned to Portsmouth for a repair man, who was forced to abandon the machine on the little bridge near the junction of the Buena Vista and West Side roads, it being discovered that the rear axle was broken.

## CONDITION IS SERIOUS

The Ironton Irontonian of Saturday morning said:

"George Shepard, the aged Sedgwick man, who was struck and terribly injured by an automobile, driven by Carter Gibbons, of Union Landing, was resting better last night though his condition is still precarious. He has not yet recovered from the shock of the accident and the outcome of the case will be in doubt for some time."

"Mr. Shepard was in good spirits last evening though he is suffering excruciating pain from him many injuries."

**Effie Moving**

Officer Osborn, who is doing special duty in the red light district, reported to headquarters Saturday morning that Effie Gordley was moving out of that neighborhood.

**How's That Made?**

William McKinney, of the Washington Hotel, has returned from a visit to Ironton. This said that wedding bells are soon to ring for "Muck."

# Propst Outlines "Dry" Campaign; A Debate Is Held At Trinity Ch.

In the absence of Rev. J. W. Dunning, the pastor, the pulpit at the First Presbyterian church was occupied Sunday morning by S. A. Propst, of Cincinnati, Anti-Saloon League superintendent, and in the evening by Rev. Frank C. Colvin, of Columbus superintendent of the home mission department of the Presbyterian church, who is laboring at present in this Presbytery.

Mr. Propst, at the morning service, outlined the campaign for state-wide prohibition this fall and urged every one present to line up early in the fight. Rev. Colvin's work is stirring up interest in home missions among the members of the church.

Over one thousand people turned out Sunday afternoon to hear the dialogue-debate of E. J. Hall and D. C. Summers, Prohibition advocates, at the Trinity M. E. church.

Mr. Hall impersonated a saloon man going before a license commissioner, represented by Mr. Summers, and the conversation that ensued was a bitter arraignment of the saloon traffic and a strong argument for the dry cause. The same dialogue-debate was given in all parts of the county last week by the same speakers.

Rev. McAfee presided over the meeting and introduced the two speakers, who are regarded as among the most convincing speakers in the dry cause in the country.

## RECOVERS HAT BUT MAY DIE

Ashland, Ky., May 24.—In an effort to recover his hat, which had been blown from his head when he was riding on a Chesapeake and Ohio freight train today, Ulan Triplott, of Willard, jumped to the ground at Aiden. His left arm was severed at the shoulder by the car wheels, and he received injuries about the head that may cause his death.

## Magnolia Lodge Banquets Tonight

Magnolia Lodge No. 300, Knights of Pythias, will have their Castle hall packed to the doors this (Monday) evening at the great "Get-Together meeting" banquet and smoker, as every knight who can give the "high sign" that leads past the "inner battlements" will be out and present when "dress parade" is called.

The lodge will first hold a short business session, but nothing but routine business, and perhaps action on application for membership is scheduled.

The Get-Together meeting is for a two-fold purpose—to bring out the Knights of Magnolia in force for an old-time good social meeting, and also to definitely settle the summer outing programs, as the outing committee, Messrs. A. H. Patton, Ralph Johnston, Elmer Knost, George Swankly and George Tener, are very desirous that the outing schedule this year shall be as near perfect as possible, and so arranged that not only the "higher ups," but the common working fellows will

all have an "off day" and be able to participate when the good times roll around.

As to the banquet, the sole committee in charge is giving out nothing for publication, and the anticipations of the knights are running all the degrees, from Chesapeake Torpedo on the half-shell to staved rounds on toast and the hindquarters of a hog between a bun, but there'll be "cats," that's certain. As for the "smokes," they will be large, luscious, juicy and "smoky," and not the attempted dried-up, smokeless "smokes" that Ed Breiner and Ralph Johnston provided for the last "smoker," and which came near causing another war to be declared.

In the social meeting the splendid K. of P. quartet will sing and there will be other songs—and Jack Hood, who among his other and varied accomplishments, is some pianist, will favor with some choice selections.

It's going to be some meeting! Every Knight of the Magnolia is urged to make a special effort to come. Come early and stay late.

## HOW ABOUT A NEW AWNING, NOW?

Authentic reports have drifted into this office that a new cement sidewalk is being laid in front of Squire Byron's office, Sixth and Court streets. The walk no doubt, will cause many pedestrians in that neighborhood to breathe easier in the future.

## RUSSIAN AGENT WAS IN THE CITY

The Cincinnati Enquirer said yesterday:

"Representatives of the Russian government, who have been in this vicinity several days, returned yesterday from a visit to Portsmouth, Newark and Huntington, W. Va."

"The party was in charge of J. Freyman, purchasing agent for the Russian government, having come to this country by way of Vladivostok."

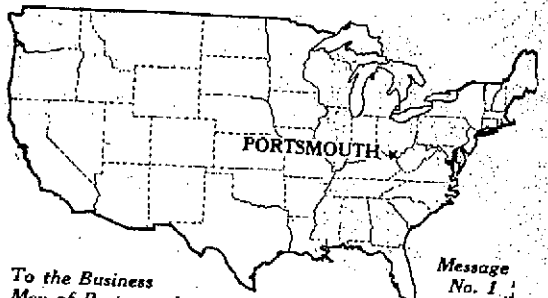
"Mr. Freyman was armed with credentials authorizing him to make purchases for his government of army boots and clothing."

"The Russians need 500,000 pairs of boots, besides an enormous amount of clothing."

"Local canneries here and in Portsmouth, Huntington and Newark were found not to have the capacity nor machinery to make the special styles needed, which consists of a boot that is a medium between the original Canadian army boot and the British boot, combining the strength of the latter with the flexibility which made the Canadian army boots easy to wear and march in."

"Mr. Freyman left last night for St. Louis."

"He will return next week to look more into the clothing contract."



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# JACOBUS TURNS IRONTON BACK ON FIRST INVASION

## Backed By Faultless Support Nailers Are Defeated 6 To 2

Beneath gray, ominous clouds that threatened to weep copiously at any moment, Portsmouth and Ironton staged a well played game on a rain soaked field at Millbrook Sunday afternoon, the decision going to Portsmouth, 6 to 2.

Playing errorless ball and backing up Jacobus in sensational style the Ironton Nailers' lead of one run secured the opening stanza was soon overhauled and after the third Portsmouth set the pace and continued to increase its lead, until it assumed safe proportions. Opposing each other as the slab artist were Jacobus, who used his famous Over-the-Rhine ball with deadly effect and Oscar DeLottelle, dark skinned youth, who acquired his early base ball education on local fields. The game started out like a real pitcher's duel, but DeLottelle failed to get the breaks in the third and Portsmouth assumed a winning lead.

Lowering clouds that made the ball almost unplayable failed to prevent a big flock of fans turning out to the first local clash of the revamped Portsmouth and Ironton teams. Had the day been more suited to the great game, there had been no counter attractions, the attendance would have been closer to the 4,000 mark than it was 1,200. Considering the fact that it looked like a heavy downpour would break over the battle field almost any moment the crowd was magnificent and offered convincing proof that the game has lost none of its original luster in the River City. There was much good natured kidding as there was a sprinkling of Ironton fans in the big stand and the game was of that variety that upholds the reputation of the greatest of all pastimes.

Hopping onto the first ball pitched, known as a cripple because it is a hard ball, (nothing like the old fashioned ball) into the right center for transportation to first, Gilmore sacrificed, Jacobus to Spencer. Calbert then lifted a fly too short for Sherman and Ollom raced home, Calbert being held at first. Calbert then attempted a delayed steal and was caught by the Spencer-Bush duo. Stoddard lifted to Sherman. Dill, Stoddard's partner in Portsmouth's first turn at the bat but Dill was not DeLottelle in Taylor, Sherman breezed breezily and Mills was left Stoddard in Taylor.

It was in the fourth that Portsmouth forged ahead. McHenry for a starter converted a hit to third into a safety and Jacobus lined sharply over Ollom's head for a hit. Dill moved them up with a perfect sacrifice. Dill then singled to left, McHenry scoring. Sherman missed a wide outcurve for the third one. Mills, however, whanged one through the infield and Jacobus and Dill scored. Spencer died Ollom to Taylor.

In the fifth one more was scored by the Spencer clan. Sherman and Mills secured hits and Jacobus was hit by a pitched ball. He scored on the Sherman and Mills bingles. The last pair of failures came in the sixth. Dill banged one between Gilmore and Calbert for two sacks and scored a moment later on Dill's second hit to left. Sherman walked. Mills was out third in first. Mills scoring. Sherman tried to sneak home on the infield tap, but was put away Taylor to Stoddard, a pretty play.

Ironton's glorious chance to pile up a few runs came in the sixth and the trick might have been turned had not a piece of bad coaching resulted in Stoddard being caught at home on a single to left. Right off the reel Calbert smothered. Stoddard lined a hit through short. Jacobus wobbled a wee bit and Taylor too walked. Percy then looped one over the infield and Calbert scored, but Sherman's quick return of the ball palled Stoddard ten feet from the home plate. It was a tough break for Ironton and took all the pep out of the team. Levi was then thrown out at first, not the park, and Stoddard obligingly popped to Calton and the hit rally that blossomed so promisingly ended but one long tally. It was after one man had been thrown in the trenches in the fifth when DeLottelle got the nod from Smith and gave way to Marquard, who is no relative to the great Tuba Marquard. Marquard was wild, but he was not found for a hit and looked pretty good on the mound. Ironton attempted to pull a rally in the ninth, but it fell short. Bush consigned Levi to the dog house on his hard smash. Stoddard then clipped a clipper to left. Marquard fled to McHenry, but Ollom secured hit No. 3 and Gilmore was up. What did big Larry Jacobus do? Why, you he shook up his young bones and got Gilmore on strikes and the stuff was off.

It was a pretty played contest. The fans always see a rattling good game of ball when Ironton and Portsmouth look up. One more today and one Thursday and Wednesday fans. Bear this in mind and dig up fifty cents.

Portsmouth AB R H PO A E  
Dill, cf ..... 3 1 1 2 0 0  
Gilmore, 2b ..... 3 2 2 0 0 0  
Sherman, cf ..... 3 0 1 2 1 0  
Mills, c ..... 4 0 2 4 0 0  
Spencer, 1b ..... 3 0 0 12 0 0  
Calton, ss ..... 3 0 0 3 2 0  
Bush, 2b ..... 4 0 1 4 0 0  
McHenry, lf ..... 4 1 1 2 0 0  
Jacobus, p ..... 2 2 1 1 2 0  
Totals ..... 29 6 9 27 8 0  
Ironton AB R H PO A E  
Ollom, 2b ..... 4 1 3 1 2 0  
Gilmore, cf ..... 1 0 0 1 0 0  
Calton, ss ..... 2 1 1 0 0 0  
Stoddard, 1b ..... 1 0 1 2 0 0  
Taylor, 1b ..... 3 0 0 10 1 0  
Perry, 2b ..... 4 0 1 0 3 0  
Levi, cf ..... 4 0 0 1 0 0  
Stoddard, c ..... 3 0 1 5 1 0  
DeLottelle, p ..... 3 0 0 0 2 0  
Marquard, p ..... 1 0 0 0 1 0

Totals ..... 32 2 7 21 11 0  
Ironton AB R H PO A E  
Ollom, 2b ..... 4 1 3 1 2 0  
Gilmore, cf ..... 1 0 0 1 0 0  
Calton, ss ..... 2 1 1 0 0 0  
Stoddard, 1b ..... 1 0 1 2 0 0  
Taylor, 1b ..... 3 0 0 10 1 0  
Perry, 2b ..... 4 0 1 0 3 0  
Levi, cf ..... 4 0 0 1 0 0  
Stoddard, c ..... 3 0 1 5 1 0  
DeLottelle, p ..... 3 0 0 0 2 0  
Marquard, p ..... 1 0 0 0 1 0

Two-Base Hits—Ollom, Dill, Sherman, Gilmore, Dill, Calton, Jacobus.  
First Base on Balls—Off Jacobus 4; Marquard 2; DeLottelle 1.  
Hit by Pitcher—Jacobus.  
Struck Out—By DeLottelle 3; Jacobus 3; Marquard 1.  
Double Plays—Perry to Taylor to Stoddard.  
Wild Pitches—Marquard, Time—1:30.  
Umpire—Colgate.  
Attendance—1,200.

**ROOTED FOR DE LOTELLE**

Oscar DeLottelle despite the fact that he was pitching for the "inimy" was not without his friends as he is a Portsmouth boy. Many of them pulled for him when he got into ticklish situations and DeLottelle was given a pleasing reception. He had a lot of stuff on the ball and pitched creditably. He was a little unfortunate in having four hits clustered together in the third inning, which netted a brace of three runs.

**BILL WAS PLEASED**

Bill was eminently pleased with the fine crowd that turned out yesterday, said President Gableman today. "It was a magnificent turn out of fans considering the threatening weather and we took for larger crowds than ever this season. The same old baseball spirit is in evidence in the city."

**Is After Winner**

President Chilton of the Charleston Senators says a winner will be placed in the Capital City if the baseball lots all over the country have to be raked over for players, who can field and hit. Some spirit, huh.

**Act Like Big Leaguers**

Josh Devore has trained his players to act just like real big leaguers, and he has taught them several things about the game that can't be seen around this league every day.

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## COLTS BEATEN 1 TO 0

Charleston, May 24.—In one of the greatest games ever seen in this city the Senators Sunday janked the Lexington Colts 1 to 0. It was a great pitched ball battle between McHenry and Elliott. The score:

Lexington AB R H PO A E  
Culin, cf ..... 3 0 0 2 0 0  
McLellan, 2b ..... 3 0 0 3 2 0  
Shaffer, 2b ..... 4 0 0 0 2 0  
Gwyn, lf ..... 3 0 0 2 0 0  
Devereaux, 1b ..... 3 0 1 7 0 0  
Blackwell, c ..... 1 0 1 7 0 0  
Jones, 3b ..... 3 0 1 1 0 0  
Vetter, cf ..... 2 0 0 2 0 0  
Elliott, p ..... 2 0 0 0 1 1  
Totals ..... 24 1 2 27 10 0  
Charleston AB R H PO A E  
Nutter, cf ..... 3 1 0 2 1 0  
Beers, c ..... 4 0 0 1 0 0  
Curtis, 2b ..... 2 0 1 2 0 0  
Michaels, 2b ..... 2 0 0 2 0 0  
Trotman, 2b ..... 3 0 0 1 6 0  
Smith, cf ..... 3 0 0 1 0 0  
Hudson, 1b ..... 3 0 0 10 0 1  
Ahner, lf ..... 2 0 0 1 0 0  
McLean, p ..... 2 0 0 1 3 0

Two-Base Hits—Ollom, Dill, Sherman, Gilmore, Dill, Calton, Jacobus.  
First Base on Balls—Off Jacobus 4; Marquard 2; DeLottelle 1.  
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Attendance—1,200.

**FOUR OUT OF FIVE**

Portsmouth and Ironton have now played five games, four on the up river lot and one in Millbrook. Portsmouth has scored 20 runs in the Nauties 12. Ironton beat the Spencers in the first clash 5 to 0, but underfired Portsmouth came back and won the next four 10 to 1, 7 to 2, 6 to 2 and 6 to 2.

**Juniors Beat The Cardinals**

The Fullerton Juniors defeated the Fullerton Cardinals at Coney Island Sunday by a score of 6 to 12 innings. Holt and Davis formed the Cardinal battery and Borders and Gales worked for the Juniors.

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## Busch's Shoulders Pinned To The Mat

Charles Kiegl champion lightweight wrestler of America, which honor is also claimed by Charles Olsen, defeated him last Saturday night in ship-shape style by pinning Carl Busch's shoulders to the mat twice in successive falls. An even hour was consumed in making both falls.

The match was held at the Millbrook Casino and the bad weather kept the attendance down. The Portsmouth Gwyn, lf ..... 3 0 0 2 0 0  
Devereaux, 1b ..... 3 0 1 7 0 0  
Blackwell, c ..... 1 0 1 7 0 0  
Jones, 3b ..... 3 0 1 1 0 0  
Vetter, cf ..... 2 0 0 2 0 0  
Elliott, p ..... 2 0 0 0 1 1

**UMPIRES LOOK GLASSY**

Portsmouth fans have now watched the work of the three new umpires in the Ohio State league, Guy Colgate being the last of the trio to display his umpiring wares. He made his appearance in Sunday's game and kept things moving in good shape. He has a fine voice and made a hit with the bleachers when he announced the batteries in them just the same as the high toned bugs in the big stand.

**JACOBUS IS ONE GAME GINK**

Smiling Larry Jacobus received an awful crack on the leg when one of DeLottelle's last ones struck him. Jacobus fell writhing in agony and Umpire Colgate called for a physician, but when Larry heard about it he gathered himself together and trotted down to first base. He was, of course, given the proper amount of applause which went along way toward alleviating the pain. Jacobus worked craftily and apparently did not extend himself until he had to.

**TOO SLIPPERY FOR SMITH**

"Say, Sloney, you go to first base drives. When DeLottelle began to grow today, it is too slippery out there for me," said Manager Smith just before the game Sunday and the Ironton leader assigned himself to a bench post. Dick coughed at first and yelled words of encouragement at his lads all the way, but verbal prodding never failed to take a hint or a few rindings to step along some.

**Umpire Stricken**

Umpire Fred Long was overcome by heat while umpiring the Charleston-Lexington game Sunday and had to give way to two players, Evans and Lingrel, who finished the game in good shape.

## BASEBALL

STANDING OF CLUBS			
Ohio State League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Portsmouth	8	3	.727
Lexington	7	3	.700
Chillicothe	7	5	.583
Charleston	6	6	.500
Ironton	3	6	.333
Frankfort	0	8	.000

National League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	19	12	.613
Philadelphia	17	11	.607
Pittsburgh	15	15	.500
Boston	13	14	.481
Brooklyn	14	15	.481
St. Louis	15	17	.469
Cincinnati	12	16	.432
New York	11	16	.407

American League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	22	12	.647
Detroit	21	12	.636
New York	19	11	.633
Boston	18	13	.580
Washington	18	15	.545
Cleveland	18	17	.514
St. Louis	16	20	.444
Philadelphia	10	21	.323

Federal League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	20	12	.625
Chicago	20	14	.588
Newark	19	14	.576
Kansas City	17	14	.548
Brooklyn	14	16	.467
St. Louis	13	16	.447
Baltimore	13	20	.395
Buffalo	10	23	.303

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS**  
Ohio State League  
Charleston 1, Lexington 0.  
Portsmouth 6, Ironton 1.  
Frankfort-Chillicothe, rain.

National League  
No games scheduled.

American League  
Cleveland 1, Washington 4.  
Detroit 10, Philadelphia 5.  
Chicago 4, Boston 2.  
St. Louis 4, New York 2.

American Association  
Milwaukee 9, Cleveland 4.  
Indianapolis 4, Indianapolis 1.  
St. Paul 2, Louisville 1.  
Kansas City 6, Columbus 0.

Federal League  
Chicago 2, Baltimore 0, 1st game.  
Baltimore 2, Chicago 1, 2nd game.  
St. Louis 10, Newark 3.  
Kansas City 9, Buffalo 4.

**GAMES TODAY**  
Ohio State League  
Lexington at Charleston.  
Chillicothe at Frankfort.  
Ironton at Portsmouth.

Benny Kniff says he will play with the Giants before the season is over. Frankfort is certainly getting a week-end start. They have not played since last Friday on account of rain.

## IRONTON HERE FOR THREE MORE GAMES, TEAM THEN HOPS OVER TO CHARLESTON

Did you take a peep at the Ohio State league standing? Well Portsmouth is in first place. While the Spencers were defeating Ironton Sunday Charleston slipped one over on Howard Gwyn's Lexington Colts and the combination enabled Portsmouth to ease into first place.

The Ironton Nailers in addition to playing today's game in Millbrook will be here Tuesday and Wednesday. Games with Ironton are always stubbornly played and the fans should attend these three battles.

On Thursday the Portsmouth team makes its first trip to Charleston, where four games will be played. The team returns on Decoration Day, Monday May 31, when two games, a morning and afternoon battle will be staged, and the same teams camp in Millbrook on June 1 and 2.

## 12 Player Limit

On Wednesday May 25 the Ohio State league teams will have to cut down their squads to 12 men. This may work a hardship on some of the teams, but not with the Portsmouth team as only one man will have to be let out. There has been talk of modifying the rule, but local officials disclaim having any knowledge to this effect.

## Edwards Is "Papa"

James Edwards, first baseman of the Greensboro, N. C. team, and the former first sacker of the local club for several seasons, is now a proud father, a daughter having been born at his home on Seventh street Sunday morning. He was not present to welcome his first born being engaged in daily diamond battles on southern fields, but he was advised immediately. His little eye is expected now to take on a healthy look.

## Zeiser Is Injured

The Charleston Gazette says: Zeiser was crippled in the game Friday and that put three of the Baltimore regulars out of the game. Morgan Gardner was sent into right field and he struck out two times and rubbed Curtis of a double in the eighth by making a great catch.

It was reported here that Zeiser had a hand broken.

## Shamrocks Defeated

The Clippers clipped the wings of the flying Shamrocks Sunday at St. Strana park by landing them an 8 to 4 defeat. Padon was in the box for the Clippers with McKnight on the receiving end. Jeffords and Wallace were in the points for the Shamrocks.

## GUYN TO SIGN TWO YOUNGSTERS

Manager Gwyn of the Lexington Colts says he has practically signed two youngsters for his team, who will round out a well balanced club. The Colts have been playing fine ball and are quite an attraction around the circuit.

There is joy over in Chicago. Both the National and American teams are the pace setters in their league.



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## FINE PROGRAM IS READY FOR MILLBROOK OPENING

The formal opening of picturesque Millbrook park will take place on Decoration Day, May 31, and, as usual, the exercises will be conducted by the Local Tribe of Ben Hur. This lodge has for years enjoyed the privilege of opening Millbrook park, and this year it has arranged an exceedingly attractive program. The day will be devoted to all forms of outdoor sports, and a feature will be a play that will be produced at the Casino.

The official program for the day is as follows:

1 p. m.—Young Ladies' Platoon Drill—Chas. Bowser, captain.  
1:30 p. m.—Baby Show—Babies between 6 and 18 months of age. First prize, gold chain and locket; second prize, fancy baby dress; third prize, doll-baby, Chas. J. Miller, captain.

2 p. m.—Girls' running race—First prize, fancy box chocolates; second prize, box chocolates; Chas. Bowser, captain.

2:30—"On the Little Big Horn," presented by the Ben Hur Marine Club at the Casino. Prices: Children, 10 cents; adults, 15 cents. Reserved seats 25 cents.

2:30—Skating and dancing at pavilion.

3:00—Boy Scout work demonstrating first aid, signalling, campcraft, building human pyramid and athletic events.

5 p. m.—Boys' running race, George Knorrer, captain. First prize, ball bat; second prize, baseball.

5:30—Young men's hurdle race—George Knorrer, captain. First prize, \$1.50; second prize, \$1; and third prize, 50 cents.

8 p. m.—Chestnut—Second performance.

Skating and dancing.

Merry-go-round, boating, etc., all day.

## "Capt" Smith Now, If You Please

Members of Company K, the new military company formed in this city last week, organized at a meeting Saturday evening by electing James W. Smith as captain, Joseph Horehow as first lieutenant, and Evan Williams, second lieutenant. Captain Smith will announce the appointments of the non-commissioned officers in the near future.

The problem now confronting the officers is to find a place that will be suitable for a temporary armory. Captain Smith wants to get his men together one evening this week to have them measured for uniforms, and will make an announcement of the place later.

The full equipment of the company will be ordered at once, and should be here before many days. Drill practice will be started as soon as a suitable armory can be secured.

Enlistments are still being secured to take the place of probable rejected members. The captain has his eyes on some desirable timber which he hopes to line up for his company.

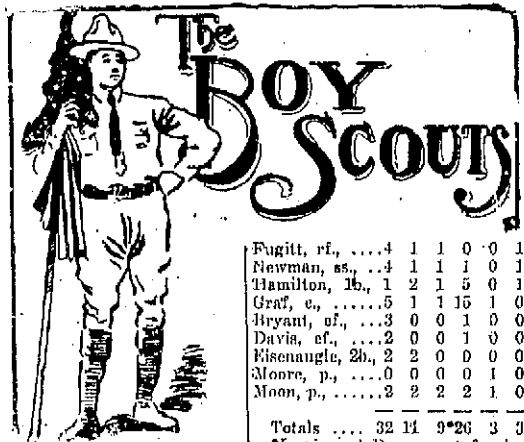
Col. E. S. Bryant and the other officers who came here last Wednesday to assist in the recruiting of the company, returned to Columbus Sunday morning, well satisfied with their work in this city.

## 500 Enjoy Excursion

About five hundred local people enjoyed the excursion to Mayaville on the steamer Homer Smith Sunday, which proved to be a delightful outing. The boat left the local wharf about nine o'clock and landed in Mayaville at two in the afternoon. A three hours' excursion on the river was given at Mayaville, which was patronized by almost five hundred Mayaville people. Passengers were taken on at Vanceburg and Manchester.

The boat left Mayaville shortly after five o'clock Sunday evening, and arrived here at midnight. It will lay here all day today, and on Tuesday afternoon and evening will run excursions under the auspices of the local Lodge of Elks. If the two excursions are well attended, two more will be given Wednesday afternoon and evening.

**Big Auto Truck**  
Contractors Curtis and Ward, who will do some work on the new C. & O. bridge, in the vicinity of Sciotoville, shipped their big auto truck to the city Saturday. It has a ten-ton capacity and weighs 10,000 pounds.



### HOW THEY STAND

	W. L.	Pct.
East End	3	.750
Athletics	2	.667
Kendall Ave.	2	.500
Tigers	0	.000

Saturday's scores:  
Kendall Avenue, 14; East End, 11.

Tigers-Athletics, wet grounds. The East Enders who won three straight games were halted Saturday by the Kendall Avenue, who defeated them in an old-time slugging match 14 to 11. Moore started the game for the East End and was hit hard. Moon relieved him in the second, and pitched great ball up to the seventh. The East Enders forged ahead in the fifth after Lewis had walked three men and Graf lined out a home run.

The Kendall Avenue came back with another batting rally in the seventh and eighth and won by the score of 14 to 11. Most of the game was played in a drizzling rain. The scores:

Kendall Ave. AB. R. H. P. O. A. E.  
Henry, 2b.....5 2 3 2 0 0  
Wilson, 1b.....5 2 2 1 0 0  
Brady, cf.....4 2 2 0 0 0  
Paxson, c.....4 2 1 1 0 1  
Parker, rf.....4 3 2 0 0 0  
Haislet, ss.....5 1 0 2 0 0  
Scott, 3b.....5 1 2 0 0 0  
Worthington, 3b 5 1 2 12 0 0  
Lewis, p.....5 0 2 0 2 0

Totals.....42 14 16 26 9 1  
East End. AB. R. H. P. O. A. E.  
Devoss, lf.....4 1 1 0 0 0  
Jones, 3b.....5 1 2 1 0 0

Auto Disabled  
While driving his new machine back from Sciotoville Sunday afternoon Harry Evans, a steelworker, broke the front axle of the car when it struck a ditch with considerable force. Mr. Evans was alone at the time and had to seek for assistance to have his machine brought to the city. The accident took place on the temporary road between East Portsmouth and New Boston.

In Queen City  
Albert Yuenger is in Cincinnati on business.

Orate of Buds  
Mrs. Frank Pratt, of Chillicothe street, is in receipt of a crate of fine Magnolia buds that were sent to her by friends in Palatka, Florida.

At Ashland  
J. L. Watkins and A. F. Scherer, of the Portsmouth Steel Company, left today on a short business trip to Ashland, Ky.

Wants Line Located  
G. A. Rutledge has asked the city to relocate the gas line at his property, 2961 Gallia street, before the street is paved.

From Buena Vista  
Ex-Postmaster John Harelda and youngest son were here from Buena Vista shopping Friday.

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## 12 Cylinder Now

A tumult of rumors relating to a 12-cylinder Packard has been crystallized by the announcement of the Twin Six. It is stated officially that the new model will be on exhibition in Indianapolis during the week of the big race.

The Twin Six motor is exactly what its name implies, two six-cylinder blocks arranged in V form with an angle of 60 degrees between them. This small included angle allows such accessories as starting motor, generator and water pump to be placed in the standard Packard position just inside the frame.

The new car will be furnished in two wheel-base lengths. The "1-35" is 126 inches and carries practically the present line of Packard bodies. The "1-37" is 128 inches and takes a new line of Packard-built bodies which are a little less in length.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

There was an increase of 115 in the Sabbath School attendance Sunday, the total being 3957, while one week ago there were only 3809 present. Trinity took on new life and went over the 1000 mark. Christian suffered a drop from the Sunday before and Manly and Second Presbyterian showed slight increases. The smaller schools showed increases: Trinity.....1064 Christian.....793 Manly.....625	Second Presbyterian.....581 Bigelow.....415 First Presbyterian.....390 German Evangelical.....307 First Baptist.....297 Grandview Ave. Christian.....284 United Brethren.....242 New Boston Baptist.....238 Hutchins St. Baptist.....231 Kendall Ave. Baptist.....187 Fourth St. M. E.....183 New Boston Christian.....115
Total.....3957	

## Will Manage Rink

Charley Bourgholtzer, who until recently was employed as a clerk in the London Shop, has been made manager of the Millbrook skating pavilion, which will be opened on Decoration Day. He is the right man for the place and will employ methods that should create a new interest in roller skating in Millbrook.

## ATTEND INITIATION

A goodly number of local Knights of Columbus attended the joint class initiation held by the Portsmouth, Ironton, Ashland and Huntington councils at Ironton, Sunday. Sixty-two young men, including nine from Portsmouth, were received into the membership of the order. The exemplification of the various degrees was handled nicely, the Portsmouth council degree team conferring the second degree. Chas. Mayne, of Ironton, was showered with congratulations over his recent election as state deputy of the order.

### FATHER MERTIAN VERY FEEBLE

Rev. Father T. A. Goebel, pastor of St. Mary's church, celebrated mass at the Catholic church in Pond Creek Monday morning. Rev. Father Joseph Mertian, of McCullough, is no longer able to conduct services at the Pond Creek church because of infirmities of old age.

## SCHOOL CENSUS WILL SHOW CITY GROWING

The return of the enumeration of unmarried youth between six and twenty-one years of age, and entitled to benefit of free school tuition in the Third Ward will show a slight gain over 1914.

According to Supervisor Joseph Mitchell, the center of population has moved across Offutt street at Tenth or Eleventh streets. An increase in population in the city will be shown, but not the usual five per cent according to Mr. Mitchell.

The Fourth Ward has not as yet been thoroughly covered, but will show a gain overcoming the losses in the First and Second Wards.

**Gets Post Cards**  
W. K. Ruark, local agent for the Wells-Fargo Express Company, has been favored with a post card sent from the Pan-American Exposition by his superior, J. E. O'Neil, superintendent of the company with headquarters in Cincinnati.

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Men's 50c Silk 4-in-hands for.....29c	Men's \$1 B. V. D. Union Suits.....78c
Boys' \$2 Long Pants.....60c	Men's \$1 B. V. D. Union Suits.....78c
Boys' 35c Union Suits.....15c	Men's \$1 B. V. D. Union Suits.....78c
Men's \$2 White Lisle Union Suits.....38c	Men's \$1 B. V. D. Union Suits.....78c
Men's \$3 Shoes and Oxfords.....\$1.98	Men's \$1 B. V. D. Union Suits.....78c
Men's 25c Wash and Silk Ties.....10c	Men's \$1 B. V. D. Union Suits.....78c

## First Communion Day Is Solemnly Observed Sunday

That greatest of all days in the life of the Catholic boy and girl—First Communion Day—was solemnly observed at St. Mary's church Sunday.

While differing in some respects from the formal ceremonies that marked the first communion of the past, or before the church reduced the age limit a few years ago, the services were no less impressive.

Twenty-five little boys and girls, attired in white, the girls with wreaths and veils, and carrying blessed candles, filed into the church to breakfast with their Savior. A truly inspiring sight was that of the little tots, led by two altar boys bearing candles, marching in turn between their parents or other relatives to the communion table, there for the first time to receive the Sacred Host.

Rev. Father T. A. Goebel, in a sermon appropriate for the occasion, warmly praised the parents who were thus giving up their children to God, but emphasized the fact that their mutual responsibilities should not end with the first communion day.

Weber's Mass was beautifully sung by the Catechism choir adding particularly to the services, which were attended by a crowd that taxed the capacity of the large edifice.

The first communion class was composed of the following children: Ralph Bihman, Sylvester Beck, Harold Debo, Robert Henth, George Halsey, Harold Lauter, Leo Lyons, Gilbert Osborn, Marcus Reitz, Albert Reinhardt, John Switalak, James Robert Smith, Philip Schilling, Carl Teschner, Irving Welby, Daniel Worris and Norbert Yuenger.

ger) Mario Beaumont, Catherine Beaumont, Martha Davidson, Emma Hornickel, Elizabeth Lang, Alma Lyons, Rosalie Muir and Agnes Orlett.

Sublimely beautiful were the evening services, which also attracted an immense crowd, including many non-Catholics.

These opened with a procession participated in by all of the school children, led by the pastor and altar boys, and during which a statue of the Blessed Virgin was borne about the church, which fairly resounded with the singing of "Bring Flowers of the Forest," "Ave Maria Stella" and other soul-stirring hymns from hundreds of little throats. The children sang beautifully "Hail Virgin Dearest Mother" as Rosalie, the cute and dainty little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Maier, of Moulton Place, accompanied by two other pretty little girls, May Gill and Clara Brown, crowned the statue of the Virgin. Six other little girls, Helen Heibel, Sarah Snyder, Clara Vetter, Marie Vaughn, Jean Schiltz and Helen Regina Beaumont, then advanced to the sanctuary and deposited flowers at the foot of the statue.

After jointly praying the Apostles' Creed the first communicants advanced in fours to the Baptismal font and in loud and clear tones renewed their baptismal vows, renouncing Satan and all his works, and pledging themselves, body and soul, to Christ. They were then lined up at the communion rail, where they were invested with the sacrament. Father Goebel, during the course of his sermon explained the day's ceremonies and particularly the meaning of the sacrament.

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### The Graduation Gift



There is no gift that gives the pleasure that a Diamond Ring does. It becomes a priceless possession, prized both for its beauty and value, and also because of the associations with Graduation Time.

It starts the graduate out with something of real value, that never depreciates in price, never wears out, never can be anything but fine and beautiful. Which is not a bad ideal and example to young people.

Albert Zoellner

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First quality work at reasonable prices, Brehrer, the Painter, 117

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Look young! Common garden Sage and Sulphur dyes so naturally nobody can tell

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully lustrous, glossy and abundant with a few drops of Sage and Sulphur. When her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, ready to use for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, because it dyes so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and abundant.

### A Simple Constipation Remedy—Try It

For quick, positive relief from constipation, sour stomach, biliousness, inactive liver, bad breath, and all the ills that follow them, nothing as yet has been found to quite equal that old, time-tried compound of may-apple root, aloes and jalap.

Recognized as one of the standard remedies, physicians daily prescribe it, many preferring it to all others, and especially calomel. They like it because, being purely vegetable, it's not nearly as harsh as calomel; it never grips; it never follows by any of the dangerous after-effects that so often result from the use of calomel.

This standard remedy, ready-prepared, may now be had under the name of Santalax Laxative Tablets. Be sure you get the original Santalax Laxative, put up in the box that has the picture of the soldier on it. In this form, it is much more convenient and easier to take than in the old-fashioned powder or capsule form—cheaper, too, a 10c box of Santalax should last you several weeks. A physician's sample package (4 doses) free to any one answering this advertisement. The Santalax Remedy Co., 801 Madison Ave., Covington, La., U.S.A.

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PARAMOUNT FEATURE

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"The School for Scandal"

A four part masterpiece starring  
**ALICE JOYCE**

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5 wonderful parts  
 Mary Nyles Minton, Percy Hallon  
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## LYRIC Friday

"The Quicksands of Society"

A Biograph 2 reel feature, and  
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 in a screaming comedy offering

Watch for it—"THE GODDESS"—the World's Greatest Serial Picture, starring ANITA STEWART and EARLE WILLIAMS—will come to the LYRIC soon. Don't miss the first chapter

## NEW GRAND JURY IS TO REPORT TUESDAY

Judge James S. Thomas, in common pleas court this morning, ordered a grand jury drawn to report next Tuesday, June 1st, at 9 o'clock a. m., to investigate the cases that will be brought to its attention. A number of cases have been transferred from the lower courts, while there are always more or less secret investigations made.

Judge William P. Stevenson, of Adams county, will preside over

The common pleas court during a portion of the present term, during the absence of Judge Thomas, who leaves next Monday on a trip to the San Francisco and San Diego Expositions and other points of interest in the West.

The two new jury commissioners, Philo S. Clark and John Jones, are in session at the court house today, preparing the list of 250 persons from whom the regular grand and petit juries of the current year will be chosen.

## CASE OF PHIPPS

It is seldom that both parties to a marriage agreement and the person who performs the ceremony all have the same name, but that is what occurred in this county this morning. Clay Phipps, 18, a young farmer, and Virgie Phipps, 16, both of Lucasville, were granted a license to wed by Probate Judge Beatty, the parents of both appearing in court to give their consent. The couple were later united in marriage by Squire Phipps, also of Lucasville, a brother of the bridegroom.

## Visitors Week At The Public Schools

Visitors' Week will be observed in the public schools of Portsmouth this week.

Parents of the school children are urged to visit the various buildings and see their children at work.

On Monday Visitors' Day was held in the Kindergarten rooms at the Lower Fourth street, Second street and at the Children's Home. Supl. Appel visited the

rooms and was pleased to find many visitors at each place. Parents are urged to take advantage of an opportunity to see their children in the act of acquiring an education.

On Tuesday parents will be invited to the first and second grades, third and fourth grades on Wednesday, fifth and sixth grades on Thursday and seventh and eighth grades on Friday.

## ALMOST ELECTROCUTED

Timely discovery by a fellow employee probably saved William Crain, chauffeur for Herman Graf & Sons, grocers, from being electrocuted Saturday night. He was putting an auto truck away when in holding a portable electric cable light he received a shock and was knocked down to the floor. Sometime later Frank Gumpel started on a search for him and came near stumbling over him. He was placed in an automobile and rushed to his home on the Chillicothe pike where Dr. Braunlin succeeded in reviving him. He was improving Monday.

## CONTRACTS LET

Three important contracts were awarded by the county commissioners this afternoon, the first of several that soon will be awarded.

Tripp and White of South Webster secured the contract for building the 12,000 feet of Harrison Furnace pike in Harrison

township upon their bid of \$2,749.00. The other bidders were Louden and J. B. Lindsey, \$4,175.00 and Pfliger and Keller, \$4,875.10. The engineer's estimate was \$4,312.12.

The contract for the construction of the middle section of the Fallen Timber Road in Jefferson township, 3,113 feet, was awarded to Andrew Hagerly upon his bid of \$700. Tripp and White's bid was \$987, and the engineer's estimate was \$1,258.73.

Eight bidders submitted prices on the work of constructing a reinforced concrete culvert on the Portsmouth and Haverhill turnpike near Haverhill in Green township, which went to A. E. Miller upon his bid of \$13,034.46. The other bidders were Weathers and Colegrave, \$22,200; Charles V. Willis, \$19,990; H. E. Addis, \$2,183.00; J. W. Roby, \$19,775; J. C. Shively, Henry Barney and Henderson and Wilson offered unit bids, which were not figured because they were above the lowest bid.

Other important contracts are to be awarded Wednesday.

### SALOON OPENS

The Cropper and Holler saloon opened up for business this morning in the new building at Eighth and Broadway streets, built for that purpose. The owners are Johnson Cropper and Martin Holler, both well known local men, and their ability to hustle is assurance that their venture will prove a success.

### BAKER

The Sleepless Shoeman  
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## Discuss Floodwall; Mausoleum Planned

The city council street committee late Monday recommended the appointment of George Zottman and Ludwig Ulrich to take up the matter of damage claims in connection with the proposed flood wall extension. John R. Hughes was chosen by them as the third member. The engineer was directed to bring estimates for two routes, one straight up Mill street and the other to diverge south at Waller street and take in all territory of that section.

The city board of control and city council Monday afternoon went over the route of the proposed flood wall preparatory to taking definite steps towards the improvement.

George Zottman and a number of other property owners who are interested in the project, accompanied the officials.

Charles Spratt, of the Roy Tann undertaking establishment, applied to the board at its meeting Monday for permission to erect a mausoleum in the new addition of Greenlawn cemetery, stating a company

was being formed to finance the institution. The proposition, which was for the city to sell the company a site of about 180x70 feet, met with favor and the officials will select the location and set the price.

The contract for the Brown sanitary sewer was awarded to John A. Grimes at \$533.90, the Rice alley sewer to Kelley Bros. at \$311.75, and the Dexter avenue sewer to Mr. Grimes at \$763.40.

The matter of opening the Brooks alley near Seventeenth and Waller streets was referred to the city council street committee.

### FIRST BAPTIST BIBLE CLASS

David's inquiry of God, "What would He have him do?" was made the basis of appeal in the class for a closer walk with God in the affairs of life, so that He might direct their steps where the individual would be the most useful, where He would be the greater aid to humanity, where He would come the nearest to reaching his ideal.

We all have some place in life, where our life will count the most; our aim should be to seek that place by communion with God, for He has a place for all. Know the will of God concerning this.

Can man be independent of God and achieve success? No. Man was made to be strong, but only in the

power of God. Our life is, or should be, closely intertwined with the life of Him that we may build wherever He selects. Nothing can be safe or valuable that turns our work or thoughts from the Divine King of the ages.

The place where David erred should be not an example to humanity, but rather a warning. As part of the trouble originated because of two kings, so a great deal of the trouble arises in our life by an attempt to serve two kings. Ye cannot serve God and mammon. There ought to be a center of affection to whom we must look. One Who is Omnipotent—The King of Glory.

## FOR THE CHILDREN

Local promoters of the Chautauqua to be held here this summer have received word that Mr. Grace Cowan Tatum, a woman of broad experience in children's work, would be here soon to meet with the children of the city and those interested in their welfare and opportunities to arrange for special children's features during Chautauqua week. These features will consist of folk songs and dances, and other things of interest and pleasure to children.

## \$24,000 For Sunday At Paterson, N. J.

Patterson, New Jersey, May 24.

Total attendance, 800,000.

Total money collected, \$61,741.40.

For campaign expenses, \$31,482.71.

For charity, \$6,258.78.

For Billy Sunday, \$24,000.

Number actual converts, 15,000.

"Over \$24,000," that's the way George Arnold summed up the "free-will offering" for Billy Sunday last night.

But it is estimated that the spectacular Sunday has taken considerably more than \$25,000 out of Paterson in his 50 days' campaign here. Mr. Arnold's estimate did not include the money to be poured in from Hackensack, Ridgewood and Passaic. It did not include the checks everybody expects Mrs. Garrett A. Hobart, Mr. Arnold and others to present. It did not include the check rumor says Judge Elbert H. Gary has sent.

Creamed buttermilk always fresh at Schirrmann's confectionery.

Out His Foot

Charles, young son of James McCoy, of Market street, seriously cut his foot in stepping on a broken bottle Sunday. Dr. Gault attended him.

Licenses Transferred

The county licensing board Monday transferred the saloon license of Ed Yuenger to his brother, Albert Yuenger, and that of Glickner & Meyer to the Glickner & Meyer Company.

### Changes Positions

Miss Albert Robinson has resigned her position as stenographer for the Steinkamp Furniture company. Next week she will begin work as stenographer for Ritter and Bates, architects in the First National bank building.

### Out On Bond

Edward Sergeant, of Swegar's Valley, who was lodged in the county jail Saturday on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of Lily Guines, secured his release on \$400 bond Monday afternoon. The case was assigned for hearing on Tuesday, June 1st. Sergeant was warned that unless his conduct showed a marked improvement, his two minor children would be taken from him and lodged in the children's home.

W. S. Donahoe is repapering the St. Mary's commercial school and janitor's home on Market street.

What's become of the old-fashioned man who said "Coffee is Coffee"? He is probably drinking Golden Sun Coffee and has found the difference.

### Confirms Sale

The sale of the Joseph Dill saloon on Eleventh street by Harry Hartmann, the administrator of the Dill estate, to the Twentieth Century Liquor company, for \$777 was confirmed by Judge Beatty in probate court this afternoon.

Miss Blanche Strahl returned to her home in Hamden, after spending a very pleasant week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Davidson of 502 Sixth street.

## HARMONY IS LACKING OVER SPRAGUE MEASURE

Columbus, May 24—Legislative chambers showed signs of activity today because of meetings of several conference committees which hastened to complete their work before the assembling of the legislature Thursday. The conference committee on the Sprague congressional re-districting bill found a hard task before it in trying to harmonize the insistent demands of the house and senate showing many conflicts with other arrangements. Members of the committee said today there are no definite indications that lines can be drawn to suit a sufficient large portion of both houses to insure passage of the bill.

Conference committees also were to meet today over the Moore McClunich license bill, the Collins-Deaton collateral inheritance bill and the Whitacre bill

providing one day's rest in seven for workers. The finance committee continued its work today on the general appropriation bill carrying \$33,000,000 allowances. This will be reported to the senate probably Thursday morning when both houses will meet with a number of amendments. It is considered probable that a conference committee will have to take up the measure when the house takes its expected action of refusing to concur in these.

The prospective delay, combined with the difficulty encountered on the Gerrymander bill, caused many legislative observers to predict today that the assembly would be in session three days—Thursday, Friday and Saturday—recessing from day to day in order to maintain the legislative day as Thursday.

## ENTHUSIASM RULES THROUGHOUT ITALY

Rome, May 24. (Via Paris)—Enthusiastic demonstrations in favor of the war continue throughout Italy. In Florence, Venice, Genoa, Milan and the other large centers crowds through the streets cheering for the king and the army. Most of the members of the Chamber of Deputies have volunteered for service in the army or navy. The lieutenant General Cadorna, chief of staff, is a lieutenant in the same cavalry regiment which his grandfather commanded in the war of 1866 against Austria. Gen. Cadorna's daughter, a nun in a convent at Florence, has applied for admission to the Red Cross.

Owing to the large number of men now under arms, there is a shortage of workmen. Most employers have promised the workmen that their places will be restored on their return from military service and that in the meantime provision will be made for their families.

In some cases women are doing work formerly performed by men. In several cities women are employed on street cars.

Prompt attention to repair work. Walters Plumbing Co., adv.

## TEACHERS

Columbus, May 24—Free tuition for summer normal courses at Miami and Ohio Universities and Bowling Green and Kent Normal schools was proposed tentatively today by the senate finance committee. Officers of the two latter schools were summoned to appear before the committee tomorrow to discuss the proposal.

"Now that we have a new school code and require training of teachers through summer courses I think we ought to make it as easy for them to attend school as possible," said Senator Winans, of Lake.

Senator Cass, of Putnam, was emphatic in agreeing with Senator Winans.

A bill to forbid these schools to give teachers training courses free had been passed by the house, but did not get through the senate.

### Pensions Granted

A Washington dispatch says \$12 per month pensions have been granted to Isabel Hall, of Portsmouth, and Mary E. Yeley, of Seiotoville.

### Quakers Beaten

The Bardsdellers defeated the Quakers in a slugging match at the West End mill last Sunday afternoon by a score of 15 to 11.

### BLAST KILLS FOUR

Bordentown, N. J., May 24.—The boiler of a sand dredge machine blew up on the Pennsylvania side of the Delaware river killing four persons. The dead are Anthony Mattie of Trenton, N. J., captain of the dredge; John Varley, engineer and the wife and two children of Harry Stout of Gloucester, N. J., cook on the dredge.

## Cat Was "Mad"

Dr. W. W. Smith received word from the State Health Board Saturday that the cat which bit Harold Jones, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones, of 1319 Eighth street last Thursday, was afflicted with rabies. Dr. Smith is giving the lad Postner treatment. The cat was bitten four times on the right hand.

### Dog Was Mad

A fox terrier dog belonging to Leroy Smith, general storekeeper at Union Mills, developed rabies Monday. It was caught before any damage resulted and was later destroyed by Dr. Joseph Gill, veterinary surgeon.

### More Pike Opened.

About 1200 feet of the new paving on the Chillicothe pike has been opened to travel, another section ending at Timothy Jewett's house being opened Sunday morning.

### Secures Liberty.

Clyde McFarland, of New Boston, who was sentenced to six months in the Cincinnati workhouse last Saturday, secured his liberty Monday when his father went security for the support of his minor children for the coming year. The sentence is only suspended, however, on that condition.

### Guardian Named

Harry Ball was appointed by Judge Stephenson Monday afternoon as guardian ad litem of Nellie and Jessie Carter, minor defendants in the partition suit of William Ross against Fred Barsteth and others, filed recently in common pleas court. Through his attorneys, Blair and Knahr, he filed a petition asking that their rights may be protected.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

A marriage license was issued this afternoon to John L. Milklick, a farmer of Oak Hill, and Emma C. Raymond, 27, of South Webster. Rev. S. Lindemeyer solemnized the marriage at his home on Sixth street.

### Claim Children Neglected.

Complaint was filed in juvenile court Monday by Harry Ball, probation officer, that Robert and Anna Stephens, minor children of Thomas Stephens, of Front and Mill streets, were being neglected. Judge Beatty will conduct an investigation Tuesday.

### GREEK KING BETTER

Washington, May 24.—King Constantine of Greece, is improving, according to a dispatch received today at the legation here. The king's fever has abated, the message says.

### In New Home

James E. Kaps has moved from 1932 Hutchins street to Seven (teenth and Dewey streets. Their new telephone number is 552-X.

### WITH THE SICK

The many friends of Wes Horning, former ball player, will be deeply grieved to learn that he is critically ill at his home on Eighth street, and that death may claim him ere another sunrise. Mr. Horning is a victim of tuberculosis and despite the brave fight he made he has been gradually growing weaker and is now in a semi-conscious condition most of the time. At rare intervals he recognizes the members of his family, who have the deepest sympathy of the community.

Harry Schwartz, of Gay street, who has been ill for three weeks, remains about the same.

Jesse Cassidy, of 1124 Gay street, who was operated on for appendicitis some time ago, is convalescing.

Miss Jane, eldest daughter of John W. Snyder, of the Portsmouth Banking Company, is ill with bronchitis at the family home on Second street.

Mrs. William Grummel, of Columbus, formerly of this city, who underwent a surgical operation a few days ago, is not resting as well as was expected.

Mrs. John Swearingin, 112 Second street, is recovering nicely from the effects of a surgical operation at Hempstead hospital, and is expected to return home today.

Mrs. Frank C. Miller, of Ninth street who four weeks ago was badly injured in an automobile accident, which took place at Front and Seiol streets has had the splints taken off her left arm which was broken and she is recovering nicely from the injuries suffered in the smashup.

Mrs. Emma Vernier, who has been very ill at her home on Pond Creek, for the past five weeks, is now reported better.

Mrs. V. Campbell, 1109 Twelfth street, who has been quite ill for over a week with grip, is convalescing.

Mrs. Thomas Gwynn, 1109 Twelfth street, received at letter Friday from her sister, Mrs. Charles Brown, of Ceredo, W. Va., in which she says that she suffered a stroke of paralysis two weeks ago and that little hopes are held for her recovery.

Mrs. Dick McKinney, 1109 Findlay street, who fell and fractured several ribs two weeks ago, is convalescing.

Mrs. James M. Kimmon of Thirteenth street who has been ill for five weeks of erysipelas of the face is improving slowly.

Harold, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Walters of 917 Thirteenth St., who has been ill for six weeks with lung trouble is on the road to recovery.

Miss Hazel Marks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Marks, of Seiotoville, who had her collar-bone fractured and several ribs on her right side fractured in the Leslie Everling automobile accident over a week ago, is able to sit up a little each day.

Miss Mary Margaret Fuller, daughter of A. J. Fuller, recently submitted to a delicate operation, which was successfully performed.

### HEAD STUFFED FROM CATARRH OR A COLD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Opens Air Passages Right Up.

Instant relief—no waiting. Your clogged nostrils open right up; the air passages of your head clear and you can breathe freely. No more sneezing, sniffing, blowing, headache, dizziness. No struggling for breath at night; you cold or catarrh disappears.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly. It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed up with a cold or nasty catarrh.

in the Mt. Carmel hospital in Columbus. Mr. Fuller returned Monday from Columbus and brought home favorable news about the condition of his daughter.

Prof. Joe Gilgen, piano dealer, underwent a delicate surgical operation at Hempstead hospital Monday morning.

D. Augustin, Sr., of Front and Court streets, has practically recovered from his recent illness. He has gained five pounds and is able to be around and greet his many friends.

John Grohman, of Court street, who has been ill six months with infirmities of age and heart trouble, is convalescing.

Mrs. Ellen Wertz, of Grimes avenue, is recovering nicely from the surgical operation she underwent at Hempstead hospital and is expected to return home Wednesday.

Mrs. D. M. Clark, of Fourteenth street, is critically ill with typhoid fever. Relatives have been summoned to her bedside.

## OBITUARY

Mrs. Thomas Jenkins  
 Word was received of the sudden death at Oak Hill, Sunday, of Mrs. Thomas Jenkins, wife of a well known farmer and mother of Eleanor Jane Jenkins, who was until recently employed in the Excelsior shoe factory of Erie. She had been suffering with leakage of the heart.

Helen Kellar  
 Helen Kellar, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kellar of near Clifford, died Saturday evening of curvature of the spine. The funeral was held Monday with interment in Miller's Run cemetery.

Mrs. Joseph Mustard  
 Mrs. Joseph Mustard, aged 60 years, wife of an employee of the Wallace spake works, died at their home in Rarden, Monday afternoon of tuberculosis. She is survived by a number of children. Funeral Tuesday.

Frank Brown  
 The funeral services of the late Frank Brown were conducted Sunday afternoon from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown of 728 Fifth street and the officiating minister was the Rev. Samuel Lindemeyer. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The pallbearers were the Messrs. Charles Baird, Frank McBride, Samuel Crane, Daniel Dodge, Will Bam Reider and John New. Interment was made in Greenlawn.

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## WAR DECLARED BY ITALY; AUSTRIANS BEGIN HOSTILITIES

### HERE'S ITALY'S FORMAL DECLARATION

Amsterdam, via London, May 24 (2:05 a. m.)—A dispatch from Vienna says the Italian ambassador to Austria, the Duke of Avarna, this afternoon presented to Baron Von Burian, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, the following declaration of war:

Vienna, May 23, 1915.

Conformably with the order of His Majesty, the King, His August Sovereign, the undersigned ambassador of Italy has the honor to deliver to His Excellency the foreign minister of Austria-Hungary the following communication:

Declaration has been made as from the fourth of this month to the Imperial and Royal government of the grace motives for which Italy, confident in her good right, proclaimed, annulled and henceforth without effect, her treaty of Alliance with Austro-Hungary, which was violated by the Imperial and Royal government and resumed her liberty of action in this respect.

The government of the king, firmly resolved to provide by all means at its disposal for safeguarding Italian rights and interests, cannot fail in its duty to take against every existing and future menace, measures which events impose upon it for the fulfillment of national aspirations.

His Majesty, the King, declares that he considers himself from tomorrow in a state of war with Austria-Hungary.

The undersigned has the honor to make known at the same time to His Excellency, the foreign minister, that passports will be placed this very day at the disposal of the Imperial and Royal ambassador at Rome and he will be obliged to His Excellency if he will kindly have his passports handed to him.

AVARNA.

### ARMY MOBOLIZED, ENEMY'S AIRSHIPS ATTACK ARSENAL

Rome, May 23, [Sunday]—War has been declared by Italy against Austria-Hungary, the formal declaration coming from the War Ministry this afternoon.

The Italian ambassador at Vienna, the Duke of Avarna, has been recalled and general orders for full mobilization of all Italian troops and reservists was sent out yesterday.

London, May 24—10:52 a. m.—A dispatch from Paris to the Exchange Telegraph Company says a telegram from Basel states that the Wolff Agency announces Germany has declared war against Italy and recalled Prince Von Buelow, her ambassador, at Rome.

Rome, May 23 (11:25 p. m.)—Italy and Germany, expressing the belief that the latter would declare war as soon as official information was received regarding Italy's action against Austria-Hungary, the council did not consider the military questions, as they have been entrusted entirely to the general staff, which will work in harmony with the commanders of the allies' forces. Financial measures were taken up and it is believed a loan will be floated either at home or abroad sufficient to meet the needs of the nation even though the war lasts longer than is expected.

A royal decree has been published providing for a rigid censorship. Authority given to censor letters, newspapers, telegrams, telephone messages, and express post, magazines, and books also controls personal liberties completely as regard public meetings. The measure resembled those already adopted in the belligerent countries.

### Austria Begins War On Italian Arsenal

Rome, May 24 (via Paris)—Official announcement was made here today that Austrian aeroplanes have attacked the government arsenal at Venice. The aeroplanes were driven off. Porto Corsini, Ancona, Barletta and Gori also were attacked.

### VIENNA CELEBRATES ITALY'S DECLARATION

Amsterdam, May 24 (via London)—Patriotic demonstrations reached a climax in Vienna last night, according to a telegram received here from the Austria capital. After Italy's declaration of war and the manifesto and the Emperor Francis Joseph calling on the army, navy and all his people for patriotic devotion had been published in special editions about 9 o'clock, crowds gathered spontaneously in all parts of the city.

Thousands of residents paraded the streets singing patriotic songs, and cheering the emperor, the monarchy, the allied army and navy. Before the war, military officers and soldiers were greeted with tremendous applause. Indignation against Italy found expression in cries of down with traitors, down with Italy. No attacks upon Italians were made, however.

### ITALIANS USE FORCE TO GET ENLISTMENTS

Venice, (via London) May 24—The Italian population of the Venetian province of Treviso, according to dispatches from Treviso, is falling into the country from towns and villages. They are compelled to walk along railways, trucks because all highways have been barricaded with plants, barbed wire and piles of stones. Great numbers are reported to be using force to compel compliance with the proclamations calling to the colors all classes of reservists between the ages of 17 and 50. Troops visit houses, chiefly at night, it is said, and carry off by force all the men within the precincts.

The Austrian authorities are reported to be making an effort to direct public wrath against Italy by passing manifestos affirming that the levy has been necessary only because of the Italian declaration of war. The order from the Italian government calling for a general mobilization was greeted with intense enthusiasm in Venice. It was greeted with a

### TURKISH GUNBOAT IS SUNK

Constantinople (By wire to London) May 24—An official statement issued tonight by the Turkish general staff said:

"The twenty-five ton gunboat, Palente-Derin, was sunk this afternoon by a hostile submarine. Two members of the crew were killed but all the others escaped without injury."

The Palente-Derin was built at Kiel in 1890. Her displacement was 856 tons. She was used as a sea-going ship for torpedo boat flotilla.

### RUSSIANS CAPTURE GARRISON

Yildiz, Trans-Caucasia, Sunday, May 23—Detachments of Russian soldiers have occupied the town of Yildiz in Asiatic Turkey, thus bringing relief to the forces who are being besieged by the Turks.

### AUSTRIAN MINISTER RESIGNS

Rome, May 24 (via Paris)—Reports received here that Baron Durnitz, the Austrian foreign minister, has resigned are generally accepted as true and have caused little comment. His reported fall is attributed to the failure of the Austro-Italian negotiations and the declaration of war by Italy.

The newspapers point out that Count Von Barchold, his predecessor, refused to accept a German suggestion regarding the necessity of granting concessions to Italy.

When you lose something leave it to TIMES WANT ADS to find it.

### AUSTRO-GERMAN ARMY IS NOW ON DEFENSIVE

Petrograd, via London, May 24—The Austro-German forces in the Balkans have assumed the defensive and their active operations consist, chiefly, of counterattacks, according to an official statement issued last night from the headquarters of the Russian general staff.

Slight progress was claimed on the left bank of the lower Danube and the claim is made that all assaults by the Austro-German troops in the southeastern theatre of operations were repulsed.

### W. VA. CHIEF KILLS A LOGAN POLITICIAN

Charleston, W. Va., May 24—E. C. Lewis, a politician of Logan, W. Va., was shot and killed there last night by A. H. Sutphin, chief of police.

Lewis quarreled with E. E. White, a member of the town council and drew his revolver, and when Sutphin approached him, he turned the weapon on him, shooting him in the leg. As he fell the officer fired, killing Lewis instantly.

### Italy Calls New York Subjects To Colors

New York, May 24—A call to Italian citizens and American citizens of Italian birth to enroll here for service in the Italian army was published in the newspapers in that language here today.

It was signed by G. Fara Fara, the consul general, and was addressed to all men between the ages of 17 and 29 inclusive.

The military law of Italy holds that all men of Italian birth in this country are subject to call for service in the army regardless of whether they have taken out citizenship papers in the United States. Penalty for refusal to obey the call is imprisonment in the event of a later return to Italy.

It was estimated there are 125,000 Italians of military age in this city. More than 4,000 already have enrolled and the consul general had made arrangements today to receive a large number of enrollments as a result of the call.

### Italian Papers Claim Country Is Justified

Rome, May 23 (10:05 p. m.)—Via Paris, May 24 (5:40 a. m.)—The official statement published at Vienna claiming that Italy did not adhere to the principles of the Triple Alliance treaty is declared by the Giornale d'Italia to be entirely inaccurate and misleading. The Italian position was summarized by the newspapers as follows:

Until the situation became intolerable when Austria and Germany aggression against Serbia caused the European conflict without giving previous notice to Italy, Italy legitimately undertook to protect her own interests, according to the rights granted her by the Triple Alliance treaty.

Austria, despite Germany's good offices, blindly and obstinately resisted Italy's just demands, rendering inevitable acute antagonism. Therefore Austria alone is responsible for the new war, although Germany is not entirely blameless but Italy did everything humanely possible to prevent it.

### Declaration Finds All Italy Anxious For Beginning Of Actual Hostilities

On the Italian Frontier, May 23, Via Paris May 24 5:35 a. m.—A day of suspense which brought with it the long expected actual declaration of war against Austria-Hungary found all Italy eager for the conflict. Thousands of volunteers proffered their service to the national cause. Students not yet called to the colors but anxious to enlist besieged the military authorities. An announcement already has been made that volunteers 18 years old or older who are physically fit will be accepted by the government for the duration of the war.

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### FRANZ JOSEF DENOUNCES ITALY; DECLARES HE'S SURE OF VICTORY

London, May 24—A Reuter dispatch from Amsterdam says the Vienna Zeitung publishes the following autograph letter from Emperor Francis Joseph to Count Karl Stürgkh:

"Dear Count Stürgkh—I request you to make public the attached manifesto to my troops."

Vienna, May 23, Francis Joseph to his troops.

The king of Italy has declared war on me, partly, whose like history does not know. It is committed by the kingdom of Italy against Austria-Hungary. After an alliance of more than 30 years duration, during which it was able to increase its territorial possessions and develop itself to an unthought-of flourishing condition, Italy abandoned us in our hour of danger and went over with alien colors into the camp of our enemies.

We did not menace Italy; did not humiliate authority; did not attack her honor or interests. We always responded loyally to the duties of our alliance and afforded her our protection when she took the field. We have done more. When Italy directed covetous glances across our frontier, we in order to maintain peace and our alliance relation, were resolved on great and painful sacrifices which particularly grieved our heart.

My armies have victoriously withstood mighty armies in the north in ten months of this gigantic conflict in most loyal comradeship of arms with our illustrious ally, Austria, and treacherous enemy in the south is to you no new enemy.

I salute my battle-tried troops who are invincible in victory. I rely on them and thank leaders. I rely on my people for whose unexampled spirit of sacrifice my most paternal thanks are due. I pray the Almighty to bless our colors and take under his gracious protection our just cause.



# Backed By Faultless Support Nailers Are Defeated 6 To 2

Mills is catching so well that  
booster is a fixture at third.

Bill- the game that can't be seen around  
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The main match opened with Kleger getting a "shoot-out" overpowered by Bunche, Garo champion, who is only 35 years of age while Kleger is 43.

Bunche had Kleger's feet in very poor positions several times, but Kle would grab his audience with "kettle" talk that won't come off. He who has had a taste of Kleger's mous, too hard kept his feet out of Kleger's reach. At the end of forty minutes Kleger obtained a narrow victory on Bischoff's score.

In the second fall was secured first fall. In fourth, Kleger getting fall in 19 minutes.

The light-heavyweight champion of America will beat at stake next

Josh DeVore has trained his p to act just like real big leaguers. he has taught them several things the game that can't be seen around league every days.

Meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the  
Sixth and Chillicothe Street  
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He and fainted. A physician was called from the stands and said it was only caused by the heat. He was carried off the field and placed in the Word from Troy is that he is still leading. He has refused to join the Frankfort team "he said."

Did you take a peek at the Ohio State League standing? Well, Portsmouth is in first place. While the Spacemeters were defeated, Ironton Sunday. Charleston allowed one over Jim Howard. Guy's Lexington Game and the combination enabled Portsmouth to look into first place.

## Edwards Is "Papa"

The Charleston Gazette says: Zeisler was crippled in the game yesterday and that put three of the regulars out of the game. McGardner was sent into right field and struck out two times and made a double in the eighth making a great catch. It was reported here that Zeisler's hand, broken.

The Clippers clipped the wings the flying Shamrocks Sunday at Straits park by handing them an easy defeat. Pudan was in the box for Clippers with McKinnin on the receiving end. Jeffords and Wallace were the points for the Shamrocks.

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TWO YOUNGSTERS**

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# MAN IS SHOT DOWN IN PRESENCE OF HIS WIFE; RECOVERY IS DOUBTFUL

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Browning had previously told Mrs. Browning that he had some money for his children. Mrs. Browning did as requested, sending herself on the third floor from the second floor. Browning asked her to go, saying, "I'll be right down." She declined, owing to the lateness of the hour. He then began unbraiding her for always leaving him, but to which she replied that it was his own fault, as he was constantly raising "rackets" with her and the owners of the building were opposed to such disturbances. They were exchanging words, and Browning had commenced cursing when Browning emerged from his room at the other end of the hall with a gun in hand. He told him he would call the police. Browning dared him to do so, exclaiming, "I'll tell them you've got a gun."

Yes, and I'll use it, too! retorted Browning, according to Mrs. Browning.

Browning fired the shot. He had his left side turned as he spoke, according to Mrs. Browning, and Mrs. Browning fired the shot, the bullet striking Browning under the left shoulder pit, and penetrating the lung. The terrified wife, who was standing directly behind him now, ran several steps down the flight of stairs. Browning, with a cry of pain, staggered momentarily, then went down stairs. Soon a crowd was attracted by the shooting and confusion reigned in the flat building. Browning walked unassisted to Second and Court streets, but began suffering greatly from loss of blood and had to be helped to police headquarters, where Dr. Clait and Wendelken attended him. He was in great agony and it was decided to remove him to Hempstead hospital. The city service wagon got stalled at the Chillicothe Pike crossing and the wounded man was transferred to Dr. Wendelken's car for the remainder of the distance. No effort was made to probe for the bullet as Browning suffered one hemorrhage after another.

## RUSSIAN AGENT WAS IN THE CITY

The Cincinnati Enquirer said yesterday:

Representatives of the Russian government, who have been in this vicinity several days, returned yesterday from a visit to Portsmouth, Newark and Huntington, W. Va.

The party was in charge of J. Freyman, purchasing agent for the Russian government, having come to this country by way of Vladivostok.

Mr. Freyman was armed with credentials authorizing him to make purchases for his government of army boots and clothing.

The Russians need 500,000 pairs of boots, besides an enormous amount of clothing.

Local concerns here and in Portsmouth, Huntington and Newark were found not to have the capacity nor machinery to make the special styles needed, which consists of a boot that is a medium between the original Canadian army boot and the British boot, combining the strength of the latter with the flexibility which made the Canadian army boots easy to wear and march in.

Mr. Freyman left last night for St. Louis.

He will return next week to look more into the clothing contract.

She said when her husband started at the stairs he had a knife in his left pants pocket, but this never saw it often in his hand. She said he made a mistake in returning to the head of the stairway after he had once started down. He appeared to have had a drink or two, she said, but was not intoxicated.

## RECOVERS HAT BUT MAY DIE

Ashland, Ky., May 24.—In an effort to recover his hat, which had been blown from his head when he was riding on a Chesapeake and Ohio freight train, today, Ullis Triplett, of a Willard, jumped to the ground at Ashland. His left arm was severed at the shoulder by the car wheels, and he received injuries about the head that may cause his death.

## Magnolia Lodge Banquets Tonight

Magnolia Lodge No. 200, Knights of Pythias, will have their "Castle" banquet at the downtown (Monday) evening, at the "Great Out-Door Meeting" banquet and smoker, as every knight who can give the "high sign" that lends past the "inner battlements" will be out and present when "Gress parade" is called.

The lodge will first hold a short business session, but nothing but routine business, and perhaps action on application for membership is scheduled.

The Out-Door Meeting is for a two-fold purpose—to bring out the Knights of Magnolia in force for an all-time grand social meeting, and also to definitely settle the summer outing program, as the outing committee, Messrs. A. H. Patton, Ralph Johnston, Elmer Knost, George Swallow and George Tenor, are very desirous that the outing schedule this year shall be as near perfect as possible, and so arranged that not only the "high sign" but the common working fellows will come.

It's going to be some meeting! Every Knight of the Magnolia is urged to make a special effort to be on time. Come early and stay late.

## HOW ABOUT A NEW AWNING, NOW?

Authentic reports have drifted into this office that a new cement sidewalk is being laid in front of Equire Byron's office, Sixth and Court streets. The walk no doubt will cause many pedestrians to take neighborhood to breathe easier in the future.

## IMPROVING MANHATTAN

A new tile floor has been placed in the Manhattan restaurant and it has been equipped with a new lighting system which makes the restaurant one of the most attractive in the city.

## BIRTHS

A fine little boy arrived Saturday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Legler, of 1729 Seventh street. It is their first born and tipped the beam at nine and a half pounds. Mr. Legler is employed as an cutter by the Schwartz Clothing Co.

## BONZO RETURNS

Police Officer Joe Bonzo, who is on duty on a ten day vacation, returned Saturday from Madison township, where he has been visiting his aged parents.

## VIEWED PLANTS

Mrs. Vigil Fowler, of the Camera Shop, returned home Friday night from Washington, New York and other points East, where she inspected photo finishing plants.

had more or less trouble since they appeared last February. He has caused her a great deal of trouble, and he said Hennes had several serious attacks, the causing the latter's arrest a couple of times, once for cutting him some months ago, though it was never proven that Hennes was the knife-wielder. The cutting occurred in a dark hallway of the room that building where Browning was shot Saturday night.

## CONDITION IS SERIOUS

The Ironton Ironmonger of Saturday morning said:

George Shepard, the aged Sedgewick man, who was struck and terribly injured by an automobile, driven by Carter Gibbons, of Union Landing, was resting better last night though his condition is still precarious. He has not yet recovered from the shock of the accident and the outcome of the case will be in doubt for some time.

Mr. Shepard was in good spirits last evening though he is suffering excruciating pain from him many injuries.

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The residents on Gay street between Twelfth and Fifteenth are complaining of the youngsters of the vicinity who throw gravel and large stones on the porches and sidewalks. They expect to cause some arrests if the practice continues.

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Joe Merly and wife have gone to Zanesville, O., to locate. Merly was employed at the Vulcan last factory. They were residents of the Peerless City for three years.

## IN NEED OF HELP

Mrs. Ella Davis, aged 58 years, of No. 109 Offshore street, who is reported destitute, has applied for admission to the county infirmary. She is a life-long resident of the county.

## SECURED ADVICE

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## STORE BUILDING

Henry Adams, who recently returned from Florida with his family, has commenced the erection of a store building at Navoo and will later re-engage in the grocery business.

## TO BECOME NURSE

Miss Mary Vernier, of No. 718 Court street, who has been employed as a telephone operator in the Excelsior shoe factory—exchange, left Friday for Dayton, to enter a hospital there as a student nurse.

## EFFIE MOVING

Officer Oshorn, who is doing special duty in the red light district, reported to headquarters Saturday morning that Effie Cordley was moving out of that neighborhood.

## HOW'S THAT MACK?

William McKinney, of the Washington Hotel, has returned from a visit to Fronton. This said that wedding bells are soon to ring for "Mack."

# DECLARATION PLEASES ALL

(Continued From Page One)

Members of yacht clubs and boat clubs in all parts of the kingdom almost to a man offered the governmental services and the use of their craft. Persons in all walks of life pledged their services to the Red Cross and gifts of all kinds were received by that organization.

Expressions of regret are being heard on every side that the nation is unable at present to assist persons of Italian blood.

Intense indignation has been caused by reports that thousands of Italians have been detained at stations along the Austrian and German frontiers where they have been subjected to ill treatment.

A train load of Italians arriving at Cornons, near Goritz, are reported to have been driven into a field by Austrian gendarmes, where they were forced to remain all night in a heavy rain without shelter or food. Several children are said to have died because of this exposure. The women and children were permitted to cross into Italian territory the next day but all the men were detained.

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# TWO'S COMPANY

Drawn by Eva Shepherd



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# VOLCANOE BELCH LAVA, DRIVE MANY FROM HOME

Seward, Alaska, May 24.—A volcanic eruption which has solidified into an impassable hard "pan" peak on the west coast of Cook Inlet, have been in existence since Tuesday, according to reports brought by the steamer Albatross today.

Persons who passed the volcano Thursday said dense clouds of smoke were rolling up from the crater. The effect of the volcano was noted here Wednesday night when copper-colored clouds were seen to the north. Four slight earthquakes here accompanied by a roaring noise have been felt during the last three months, but believed to have had no connection with the volcano as no shock was felt here when the eruptions became active.

Redding, Cal., May 24.—Three farms have been buried by a landslide under a thick layer of ash.

# FINANCIAL CONFERENCE IS OPENED

Washington, May 24.—The Pan-American Financial Conference, the outgrowth of the new problems that have arisen to confront the Western Hemisphere as a consequence of the war in Europe was formally opened here today. For six days delegates from nineteen South and Central American countries will present to representatives of the Washington government, commercial and industrial enterprises of the United States their need and their plans to make a closer union of interests and commerce.

The program for the opening session was given over to speeches of welcome by President Wilson and Secretary Bryan and responses from the delegations of each invited country. Next came a reception to the delegates and their families in the east room of the White House in which all the visitors had been invited by the president.

# WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Frank C. Miller, of Ninth street, who four weeks ago was badly injured in an automobile accident, which took place at Front and Scioto streets, has had the splints taken off her left arm which was broken and she is recovering nicely from the injuries suffered in the smashup.

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In the absence of Rev. J. W. Dunning, the pastor, the pulpit at the First Presbyterian church was occupied Sunday morning by S. A. Propst of Cincinnati, Anti-Saloon League superintendent, and in the evening by Rev. Frank C. Colvin, of Columbus superintendent of the home mission department of the Presbyterian church, who is here on a visit to this city.

Mr. Propst, at the morning service, outlined the campaign for state-wide prohibition this fall and urged every one present to line up early in the fight. Rev. Colvin's work is stirring up interest in home missions among the members of the church.

Over one thousand people turned out Sunday afternoon to hear the dialogue debate of E. J. Hall and D. C. Summers. Prohibition advocates at the Trinity M. E. church. Mr. Hall impersonated a saloon man going before a House committee, represented by Mr. Summers, and the conversation that ensued was a bitter arraignment of the saloon-traffic and a strong argument for the dry cause. The same dialogue debate was given in all parts of the county last week by the same speakers.

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# CINCINNATI ENTERTAINS BIG CHIEFS

Cincinnati, May 23.—Police chiefs from all sections of the country began arriving here today for the annual meeting of the International Association of Police Chiefs, which begins tomorrow. The principal matter before the conference will be the election of a new president, to succeed Maj. George Sylvester of Washington, D. C., who has retired as president owing to his retirement as an active police chief.

Tulsa, Oklahoma, delegates are busy endeavoring to obtain votes to send the next convention to that city.

# Gears Are Stripped

The automobile of Dr. H. P. Rapp, popular West Side physician, is temporarily out of commission, due to a slight accident which occurred Saturday evening. In some manner he had stripped the gears as he was driving the car into his garage. He telephoned to Portsmouth for a repair man, who was forced to abandon the machine on the little bridge near the junction of the Buena Vista and West Side roads, it being discovered that the rear axle was broken.

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There were no new developments early Monday in the matter of the latest demand of the Star upon Mayor Priek for the resignation of Safety Director Dr. Joseph Lake.

In its issue Sunday morning the Star printed the statements of some of its reporterial staff in which they detailed allegations of having watched a man and two women enter the safety director's office, and later of having seen the party eating sandwiches and drinking out of bottles. The Star said that its reporters had made affidavit to the truth of their charges, the principal testimony being given by William Thomas and Leo Hershaw. With this publication it was announced that the paper stood pat and that it was up to the mayor to act or not act as he saw fit. Editorial attacks upon the mayor also featured the Star's handling of the case.

Safety Director Lake, beyond demand of the charges other than that the two women were present at his office with a male friend to file applications to be nurses at Hempstead hospital, had no statement to make early Monday.

# WANTS LINE LOCATED

G. A. Rutledge has asked the city to re-locate the gas line at his property, 2961 Giffin street, before the street is paved.

# FROM BUENA VISTA

Ex-Postmaster John Hershaw and youngest son were here from Buena Vista shopping Friday.

# IS FEATURING BEAUTY CONTEST

Clyde Diegle, former editor of the Lima Daily News, and a well-known newspaper man of Northern Ohio, arrived in Portsmouth Sunday evening as representative of the film producing company that is featuring the "Beauty Contest" in this state. It is expected that Portsmouth girls will be entered in the contest. The pictures of the contestants will later be shown at a local theatre.

# GOT LOT OF FROGS

Dr. H. A. Maffey, Albert Yeager and Oscar Runk went to Otter Saturday night on a fishing and frogging expedition. They returned with a lot of fish and a number of frogs. They were guests of Mrs. Simon Crowe. Mr. Yeager's sister, while in Otter.

# GRUTE OF BUGS

Mrs. Frank Pratt, of Chillicothe street, is in receipt of a crate of fine Magnolia buds that were sent to her by friends in Palaka, Florida.

# AT ASHLAND

J. L. Watkins and A. F. Scher, of the Portsmouth Steel Company, left today on a short business trip to Ashland, Ky.